









## WINCHESTER.

Workmen are pushing things on the water works at south meadow.

A party of gentlemen will go to Buzzard's Bay on Saturday for fish and fun.

Last Tuesday our worthy citizens G. P. Brown and J. Stanton went fishing.

Being no celebration here on the 4th, a good many of our people will go to Woburn.

The new 11-20 evening train from Boston is appreciated by our people as a great accommodation.

Lord and Avery are making extensive additions to their tannery. It is sound corn—this firm is.

There is talk here of a new station on the Woburn Branch near Moseley's tannery to accommodate the workmen.

Rev. C. A. Staples will preach in the Unitarian church next Sunday. The Sunday School has closed for vacation.

The officers of Winchester Lodge, 156, K. of H., are: P. D.—G. H. Estee; V. D.—T. H. Stinson; C.—E. T. Whitney; F. R.—J. W. Richardson; Ge.—J. P. Boutwell; O. S.—G. A. Hall; O.—H. F. Clark; A. D.—G. A. Wade; R.—W. E. Taylor; T.—W. E. Prince; Gr.—S. Gove.

The early home of Gov. Brooks, now occupied by Marshall Symmes, is soon to be razed to the ground. It is a venerable house—over 150 years old—and as an old landmark and a connecting link between these and the "good old colony times," it will be greatly missed. An elm stands near the house which is over 100 years old.

On yesterday morning at 6 o'clock, Rev. Richard Metcalf, pastor of the Unitarian Church, died at his residence in this village. He has been in ill-health for a long time, but his death was not looked for so soon. He was an excellent man, a pure hearted Christian gentleman, a good citizen, faithful pastor, and able preacher. Mr. Metcalf will be greatly missed and sincerely mourned not only by his church, but by this whole community.

I learn that the following teachers have been appointed to the Winchester schools for the year to come. It will be seen that no changes of importance have been made: Grammar School Principal, Charles E. Sweet; First Ass't. Emma H. White; Second, C. Isabella Livingstone; Third, Mary A. Emerson; Chapin Intermediate—Florence A. Moody; Chapin First Primary—Caroline B. Symmes; Chapin Second Primary—Wilhelmina F. Smith; Gifford Intermediate—Laura A. Westcott; Rumford Intermediate—Clara P. Norman; Rumford Primary—Ellen C. Holton; Washington—Emma C. Richardson; Wyman—Abby F. Johnson; Mystic—Mary S. Spurr; Highland—Elizabeth E. Marston; Music Teacher—Sarah C. Bailey.

Mr. Black, of the firm of J. S. & P. Black, curriers, while grinding a knife at Nutter's Mill last Friday, by some inexplicable turning of the tool, had the whole of his right thumb taken off close up to the hand. It was a serious accident and a very unfortunate one for Mr. Black, who has the sympathy of the community. I would give you the name of the physician who attended Mr. Black and dressed the wound, but for the fact that I am prohibited from doing so by a rule of the Middlesex East Medical Society, which does not permit the mention of the names of attending physicians in any cases. The reason of the rule "is one of those things which no fellow can find out," but it exists all the same. Clergymen are not adverse to respectfully worded newspaper praise of their products, if deserved; lawyers are not over modest or sensitive in this respect; but reporters must keep their hands off the doctors. Well, well, such is life!

The schools all closed for the long vacation last week. The graduating exercises were interesting, though nothing on a big scale was attempted, and the progress of the schools was decided to be in the highest degree satisfactory. It is needless to give you readers a minute account of all that was done, especially as graduation exercises are pretty much the same the world over, and are of vastly more interest and importance to the parties immediately concerned than to the public at large. I will, however, give the names of the graduates of the various departments, which are as follows:

GRAMMAR: Edward K. Appleton, Clyde W. Bell, Clara K. Brewer, May Chase, Herbert L. Cox, Fred E. Cooper, George L. Dunham, Frank E. Hitchcock, Louis H. Goddard, Alice C. Joy, Helen P. Lane, Timmie H. Leary, Bessie E. Locke, Lewis O. Locke, John R. McElhiney, Humphrey F. Moynihan, Charles E. McKenzie, John H. McCarthy, Annie E. Nutter, Katie E. O'Connor, Annie J. Richardson, Mary Riley, Bradlee Rogers, Harry H. Rogers, Clara M. Simonds, Lester F. Smith, Ralph K. Sweet, Frank H. Swan, Harry H. Wheeler, Waldo L. Wheeler.

GIFFORD INTERMEDIATE: Grace M. Brown, Emma L. Dominy, Thomas M. Macey, Michael McCarthy, Winnie McGowan, Andrew C. McKenzie, Maud C. McKenzie, Albert B. Meredith, Ethel J. Small, Willie A. Snow, Grace P. Stone.

GIFFORD PRIMARY: Edith Bishop, Mary Pavenport, Annie Downey, Ernest Hatch, John Macey, Willie McCarthy, Michael McManis, Gertrude Moseley, Willie Rooney.

HIGHLAND SCHOOL: Henry DeCoursey, Annie Dutton, Ernest R. Eustis, Katharine C. Lane, Henry F. Lunt, Grace B. Manning, Percival B. Metcalf, Allena E. Pratt, Jeremiah Sullivan, Florence Underhill, Fannie Wilson.

REMFORD INTERMEDIATE: Mattie L. Bradford, Alice Crowley, Loring E. Edwards, Mary V. Forbes, Annie Gallagher, Frank G. Grose, Arthur C. Nichols, Maurice O'Brien, Annie B. Reynolds, Michael J. Sullivan, Harry W. Winde.

HUMPHREY PRIMARY: Willie Grose, Maggie Gallagher, Harry Kenworthy, Maggie McMilligan, Maggie Nelson, Willie Wade.

WASHINGTON: Minnie Emerson, James Hinds, Benjamin White, Della White, Arthur L. Winn.

WYMAN: Charles H. Davis, Lillian O. Snow, Minnie E. Sweeney.

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MESSINGER'S NOTICE.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

WOBURN, June 22, 1881.

Notice is hereby given that Hon. George M. Brooks, Judge of the Court of Insolvency in and for the County of Middlesex, has issued a warrant against the estate of Henry Young, Jr., of Woburn, in said County, Insolvency Debtor, and the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said debtor to him or for him, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said debtor to prove their claims, and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth day of July, A. D. 1881, at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

262 HORACE COLLAMORE, Deputy Sheriff.

Guardian's Sale of Real Estate.

BY virtue of a license from the Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, granted December 7, 1880, the subscriber, guardian of Bertha Taylor Converse, of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, a minor, will sell at public auction on the premises, on Tuesday, the fifth day of July, 1881, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all that real estate of said ward, consisting of one undivided half of the homestead estate of the late Joshua P. Converse, comprising land and buildings situated in said Woburn, and bounded as follows:—Easterly by land of Margaret Converse and W. W. Stafford; southerly by land of said Stafford and land of John Smith; westerly by lands of Rufus Smith, Bernard Fletcher, Marshall Fessenden, land now or formerly of John Parker, and by Bow Street; northerly by land of Bartholomew Richardson and land of Sherman Converse. The premises are subject to the dower of Susan E. T. Converse. For the title of Bertha Taylor Converse, reference may be had to the will of said Joshua P. Converse.

EDWARD W. HUDSON, Guardian of Bertha Taylor Converse.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs, law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Thomas S. Seale, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Jennie Seale, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Woburn Journal, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Register, Judge of said Court, this twenty eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one.

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But here it is to be noticed that the more they were afflicted, the more this people grew. The Lord did not forget his promises. Nothing is here said of the reasons for the divine permission of these cruelties of the king and sufferings of his own people. In part, he may have designed to teach the nations some great lessons. The end certainly did show that, however long wickedness may be tolerated, he is still and ever on the side of the oppressed, and sure to punish the oppressor. In part, his purpose may have been to correct his people for their sin, particularly that of idolatry; to bind them the more closely together, and especially to make them willing to leave a land unsuited to the moral development of the great nation meant them to be. Their afflictions were needful for their purifying, and to make them willing to go in the Lord's way.

**PRACTICAL SUGGESTIONS.**

1. God never ceases from his watchful care of his own people. To whatever land they go he follows them, to bless them when faithful, to correct them when they fall into evil ways, and to prepare them for the better life they may have in store.

2. It is always safe to take God at his word if promise, not dispensing the day of small things. His resources are not few, nor are they weak. He can cause that "a little one" shall become a thousand and a small one strong nation.

3. One of the lessons most frequently and strikingly impressed upon us in the Old Testament is the shortness of life and the certainty of death. "Joseph died, and all his brethren and all that generation." So will soon be said of us.

4. We are also reminded of the brevity of earthly fame. If not forgotten, Joseph was soon disremembered. Not even the great services he had rendered could perpetuate his memory among those who had most reason to remember him. It is certainly better to seek the honor which cometh from God, than the shallow and short-lived praise of men. The world will soon forget us.

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Lesson 1:

Israel in Egypt.

Ex. 1: 1-14.

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The Book of Exodus (signifying "going out"), which is now for some time to occupy our attention, is so called from the leading event recorded in it—namely, the departure of Israel from the land of their oppressions to be replanted in the good land promised to their fathers.

The present lesson deals with two principal facts—(a) the wonderful increase of Israel in Egypt, and (b) the means used by the new king to check their growth. To bring the first of these into bolder relief, the writer goes back to the descent of Israel in Egypt. Israel was then a little flock. The male descendants of Jacob numbered seventy, though, counting women and servants who were admitted to the covenant and reckoned Israelites, the whole number was probably several hundreds. But now they had wonderfully increased. Observe the climax: they were fruitful, they increased abundantly, they multiplied, they filled exceeding might, the whole land was filled with them. In part this was due to natural causes. But it was also in fulfillment of prophecy and promise. To Jacob it had been said: "Fear not to go down into Egypt, for I will there make of thee a great nation" (Gen. 46: 3). God was now making good his promise.

The second principal point of the lesson relates to the attempt of the new king to thwart the divine purpose.

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## WINCHESTER.

At last accounts the High School teachers had not been elected.

William T. Dutton is the local agent for the Mass. S. for the P. of C. to A.

Rev. E. H. Hall of Worcester will preach in the Unitarian church next Sunday.

The St. Mary's Sunday School enjoyed a delightful picnic at North Pond Grove, on the 4th.

Mr. Andrew Wood of the High School has resigned. He departs for fresh fields and pastures new at no distant period.

Some of our teachers have had their happiness considerably enhanced by increase of salary. Any reasonable price is not too high for choice instructors.

The balloon that went up from Lynn at 5 o'clock on the 4th and came down in Woburn at 7.30, floated over this village and attracted a good deal of curiosity.

I do not hear that the Rev. J. F. Fielding of New Hampshire has accepted the unanimous call of the Baptist Church of this village to become their pastor, but presume he has.

The "Owl Club"—no relation to the "Owl Train"—is the latest thing here. If their midnight suppers continue to equal the first one the Club can't help paning out big in the way of membership.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sanderson and Miss Cora Quimby attended the Congregational S. S. Convention at Cottage City, Martha's Vineyard, last week, as delegates from the Winchester Church.

The "Gospel Party" of the little 4-year-old Miss Charlotte Skillings, at the home of Mr. D. N. Skillings, was one of the events of the season. A large number of invitations were issued, and everything was a *la mode*.

It gives me pleasure to state the fact that our esteemed fellow-citizen, Mr. Francis H. Nourse, has been appointed a trustee of the State Almshouse. A more judicious selection for the State could not have been made, nor the choice have fallen on a worthier man.

I omitted to mention in my last report that Miss Hyatt and Miss Skillings, captains of the teams of the Rangeley Archery Club, have resigned. As archery is a popular sport here no item of interest concerning it should be allowed to escape the reporter's notice.

On pleasant evenings a large number of our citizens attend the open-air concerts of the Woburn Band on your Common, and enjoy it. A couple of weeks since about a hundred went up. It is a pleasant drive, and our young people like it, especially the return trip.

None of us would seriously object to the kind of a bouquet that Father D.F. O'Sullivan received from the Ladies' Sodality, the other day, by the hand of Mrs. John Lynch. In the centre of the beautifully arranged collection of rare flowers was a valuable gold watch, the discovery and receipt of which filled the good minister's soul plump full of surprise and gladness.

Our proposed cooperative house-keeping scheme has not yet gone into active operations, and I can't assure your readers that it ever will. Perhaps that and the "Middlesex Fells" will "fine drive" as the great Greenbacker, Solon Chase, puts it. Some people are prolific in projects, but it is by no means certain that this is not a practical and good one.

It is surmised by our people that the Winchester Star is "not long for this world." They are not enthusiastic over the idea of having the Stoneham Independent dubbed Winchester Star, and patronized out on them as the simon-pure article. Indeed, ours is not a community to play "second fiddle" to anybody, and as far as local newspapers are concerned the idea of playing flat to the Stoneham kite is not popular here. Our folks prefer to rely on the reporters of neighboring journals for their local news rather than to appear in the role of Stoneham's scandal appendage.

The question of temperance engrosses the attention of good people here. There is a large number of efficient workers and advocates of the cause among us, and I am glad to know that their labors bear fruit. A good many of our best ladies are instant in season and out of season in the work, and are doing well. On the afternoons of the second and fourth Fridays in each month regular meetings of the W. C. T. U. are held in Livingston Hall, and a gospel temperance meeting is held on each Thursday evening at the same place. These meetings are well attended, showing that a good interest is felt in the moral welfare of our beautiful village.

## INTERESTING ITEMS.

A writer on physiognomy would like to know "if large ears denote a miserly disposition, why is a miser so apt to squander his hard-earned?"

"Solid comfort" can be realized by those suffering from Scrofula in all its forms, if they will take Hood's Sarsaparilla and be cured. Others have.

"In view of these extremities," said he, and he accidentally glanced at her rixes; but he didn't mean anything. He was about to excuse himself from keeping the happy day on financial reasons. Nevertheless she drew in her feet and cast a look of scorn at him that rendered all excuses unnecessary. He wouldn't dare call on her again.

[Chicago Western Catholic.] The latest man who has been made happy through the use of this valuable liniment is Mr. James A. Conlan, Librarian of the Union Catholic Library of this city. The following is Mr. Conlan's endorsement:

UNION CATHOLIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION, 204 DEARBORN STREET, CHICAGO, Sept. 16, 1880.

I wish to add my testimony as to the merits of St. Jacobs Oil as a cure for rheumatism. One bottle has cured me of this troublesome disease, which gave me a great deal of bother for a long time; but thanks to the remedy I am cured. This statement is unsolicited by any one in its interest.

JAMES A. CONLAN, Librarian.

## Pleasant Letters.

They are sheets of sunshine. A Methodist clergyman of Hartford, Conn., writes Dr. David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., that "Favorite Remedy" cured him of Chronic Liver Disease and Indigestion, from which he had suffered for a long time. This was splendid, but nothing more than anyone may expect who uses this medicine. One dollar a bottle is a small consideration when health is in question. The clergyman says he is going to introduce Dr. Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy" among his people. He can't do better.

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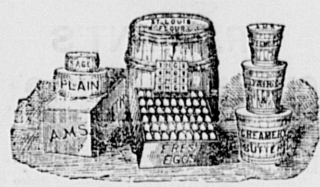
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## WINCHESTER.

Next Sunday Rev. C. A. Staples will occupy the desk at the Unitarian church.

The Owl Club is in the height of its glory, and is an institution that any town might well be proud of.

Chicago's musical composer, Mr. S. G. Pratt, is here on a brief visit. He has relations and many friends here.

Mr. Charles L. Harrington has been elected Principal of the High School, and Miss M. A. Parsons, Second Assistant.

Notwithstanding the vacation season Summer sports are at their height here, and everybody is enjoying life to the brim.

A good many of our men folks have a penchant for ocean fishing, by whom some very respectable hauls have been made of late.

Some of our school buildings, including the Washington, Mystic and Gifford houses, are being overhauled and thoroughly repaired.

A very interesting sketch of the life and services of the lamented Rev. Mr. Metcalf was given in the Unitarian church last Sunday morning, by Rev. E. H. Hall, of Worcester, a classmate of Mr. Metcalf.

I hear that Rev. J. F. Fielding of New Hampshire has accepted the call of the Baptist society here to become their pastor. It is said he is a man of signal ability, eminent piety, and very successful pastor and sermonizer.

The Stoneham Band, so report has it, will give an open-air concert on the Common in this village on next Wednesday evening. The Band is a first class one, and it may be depended on that it will give a grand good concert.

Our Unitarian brethren are agitating the question of having a union Sunday School picnic composed of the schools of Winchester, Woburn, Reading, Stoneham and Wakefield, to come off at an early day. Such a picnic couldn't fail of being a large affair and a very pleasant one.

Mr. C. E. Sweet, Principal of the Grammar School, and his first class, consisting of George Dunham, Frank Thompson, Lester Smith, Walter Howe, Ralph Sweet, Henry King, Eddie Appleton, Charles McKenzie, Frederick Huse, and Frank Hiteboeck, are camping out in the White Mountains and having dead loads of fun and comfort.

Among the graduates of the State Normal School at Salem this year were Bessie R. Brackett and Lena R. Brackett, daughters of A. E. Brackett, Esq. of this place; and Annie T. Holland, daughter of Mr. Patrick Holland, roadmaster on the B. & L. R. R. Miss Bessie Brackett's theme was "A Strong Will," and Miss Lena wrote and read a fine poem at the graduation.

Last Sabbath at the Congregational church a Sunday school meeting was held. Mr. Sweet being absent, Mr. H. Parker took charge. Addresses were made by Mr. Tyler, Mr. Usher, and others. A very interesting report of the Sabbath school convention held at Martha's Vineyard, June 28, 29 and 30, was read by Mrs. Blood; also a solo was sung by Mrs. Bailey which was very fine.

On Wednesday there was considerable excitement here over some liquor trials before His Honor Mr. Justice Littlefield. It seems that the Reform Club obtained the services of a Boston "spotter" to secure evidence against rum-sellers, which fact has aroused the ire of a good many people, and out of which trouble is likely to grow. There is a lingering remnant here of the ancient prejudice against "spies and informers," and there is a diversity of sentiment as to the propriety of employing such characters to convict rum-sellers even—a character a good deal meaner than it is possible for a spy to be. Several cases were tried by His Honor, a decision on which will be rendered next Saturday.

**Important to Travelers.**  
Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue.

## BURLINGTON.

Mr. Dury S. Foster will soon enter upon his duty as collector of taxes.

**Church Service.**—It is expected that Rev. Charles Anderson will preach at the church, next Sunday morning.

**Assessors.** The following shows the result of the Assessor's valuation, taken May 1, 1881: Number of polls, 209; value of personal estate, \$93,340; value of real estate, \$398,170; rate of taxation, \$11 on \$1,000; number of horses, 228; number of cows, 309; number of horses, 123; number of persons liable to do military duty, 59.

## INTERESTING ITEMS.

One of the first requisitions received from a newly-appointed railway official was: "Send me a gallon of red oil for the danger lamps."

The beauty and color of the hair may be safely regained by using Parker's Hair Balsam, which is much admired for its perfume, cleanliness and dandruff eradicating properties.

A poet has written a poem on the stopping of his clock. It came to him, perhaps, as a melancholy reminder that he could get nothing more on tick.

A most delightful ocean trip from Boston to Portland is now afforded, at a reduced rate, on one of the staunch boats of the Portland Steamship Co. This favorite line also issues tickets at low rates to Old Orchard Beach, the White Mountains, and other Eastern summer resorts.

An Irish gentleman, with that peculiar perspicuity of statement characteristic of his race, says the chief pleasure in kissing a pretty girl is when she won't let you.

"Solid comfort" can be realized by those suffering from Scrofula in all its forms, if they will take Hood's Sarsaparilla and be cured. Others have.

Teacher—"A quadruped is an animal having four legs. Now who will give me the name of a quadruped?" And thirteen shrill voices piped out, "A table." There is nothing like object teaching, especially when the object is just before the pupils' eyes.

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A party were enjoying the evening breeze upon a yacht. "The wind has made my mustache taste quite salt," remarked a young man, who had been for some time occupied in biting the hair upon his upper lip. "I know it," innocently said a pretty girl. And she wondered why her friends laughed.

[Chicago Western Catholic.]

The latest man who has been made happy through the use of this valuable liniment is Mr. James A. Conlan, Librarian of the Union Catholic Library of this city. The following is Mr. Conlan's endorsement:

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CHICAGO, Sept. 16, 1880.

I wish to add my testimony as to the merits of St. Jacobs Oil as a cure for rheumatism. One bottle has cured me of this troublesome disease, which gave me a great deal of bother for a long time; but thanks to the remedy I am cured. This statement is unsolicited by any one of its interest.

JAMES A. CONLAN, Librarian.

Two old ladies, evidently from the interior of the State, were walking on Elm street one day this week, when one of the discovered a bunch of bananas. Stopping to look at them, she adjusted her glasses and exclaimed, "Well, I do declare, if them ain't bigger string beans than I ever saw in Bristol."

Nearly all the ills that afflict mankind can be prevented and cured by keeping the stomach, liver and kidneys in perfect working order. There is no medicine known that will do this as quickly and surely, without interfering with your duties, as Parker's Ginger Tonic. See ad.

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"Queer about them sun spots, Billy, ain't it?" "Yes, if yer don't know nothin'," said Billy, with an air of superior wisdom. "What do yer s'pose they be—smallpox?" "Smallpox! Naw; yer ought to read yer almanac where it says: 'Hot weather—sun gets the cancer.'"

A very sick Philadelphia man begged for some shade. The doctor forbid it. The sick man insisted, and his friends, afraid to give the desired morsel, attempted a deception. "Ah," said the associated victim as he crunched his teeth down on a fine comb tied in butter, "I know this is shade; I can feel the bones."

Pleasant Letters.

They are sheets of sunshine. A Methodist clergyman of Hartford, Conn., writes Dr. David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., that "Favorite Remedy" cured him of Chronic Liver Disease and Indigestion, from which he had suffered for a long time. This was splendid, but nothing more than anyone may expect who uses this medicine. One dollar a bottle is a small consideration when health is in question. The clergyman says he is going to introduce Dr. Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy" among his people. He can't do better.

THE CHILDREN'S COUNTRY WEEK, conducted under the auspices of the Boston Young Men's Christian Union, enters upon its seventh season with the present year. Through its instrumentality, over five thousand children, and others from among the city poor, have since its inauguration in 1875, been enabled to visit for a week or longer in country homes, a pleasure which they could not otherwise have enjoyed. Aside from the pleasure which is afforded by these short visits, the moral advantage of the change in surroundings and influence is incalculable. "The children return with improved health, strengthened constitutions, and new and better aspirations."

The Committee have already entered upon the list for the present season the names of over fifteen hundred children; and they would ask of those living in the country, to whose notice this article may come, "Would it not add to your happiness and the enjoyment of your own pleasant homes to entertain one of these children for ten days or more, and let a ray of sunshine in upon their poor lives?" If you are willing to aid in the work, please send your address, and the number of children and ages preferred, to the Secretary, Miss J. G. Putnam, 18 Boylston street, who will cheerfully furnish further information desired. The children will be sent to and from your home free of expense.

Six to Fifteen.

"Having been an invalid for a number of years, I have received more benefit during the last six months from the use of your 'Favorite Remedy' than from the preceding 15 years of treatment from the best physicians of New York and surrounding country." Thus writes Mrs. Marian Reeve, in a letter dated at Cornwall, N. Y., to Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y. Is any extended comment needed on this? One dollar a bottle. All druggists sell it.

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Much of the distress and sickness attributed to dyspepsia, chronic diarrhea and other causes is occasioned by humor in the stomach. Several cases, with all the characteristics of these complaints, have been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Other cures effected by this medicine are so wonderful that the simplest statement of them affords the best proof that it combines rare curative agents and when once used secures the confidence of the people.

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You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against said will.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Woburn Journal, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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Lesson 3.

The Call of Moses.

EX. 3: 1-14.

GOLDEN TEXT.—"And he said, Certainly, I will be with thee."—Ex. 3: 12.

Central Truth.—God's supporting presence and blessing are pledged to those who hear and heed his call to duty.

Our last lesson left Moses sitting by a well in the land of Midian, the peninsula of Sinai. The particular spot referred to was probably the southeastern portion, near the apex of the peninsula. While waiting here, the daughters of a priest of Midian, Reuel or Jethro by name, came to draw water for their father's flock. And certain shepherds also came and drew them away. With his accustomed courage and hatred of injustice, Moses interposed for the help of the maidens, repelling their rude assaults, and watered their flock. This was his introduction to the family of Jethro, into whose service he entered, where his daughter Zipporah he married, and with whom he remained during the second forty years of his life.

It is at the end of this last period that we find him in the present lesson. He has not grown rich. In the midst of the luxuries and splendors of Egypt, he had learned how little satisfaction for the heart is to be found in either. His life in the desert has been spent in communion with himself and with God.

Just now he has gone with his flock westward to Horeb, called the "Mountain of God," as having been the scene of a number of wonderful divine manifestations. We have in this lesson a record of one of these. It was that of a flame of fire out of the midst of a bush; the marvel being that the bush burned, and yet it was not consumed.

No doubt the bush, which was the wild and thorn-bearing acacia, was intended to represent the people of God, and the flame the fiery trials of which they had had painful experience. The Church of God has often appeared insignificant, and its sufferings have been many and great, yet, because of God's presence, it has never been destroyed.

It is remarkable that he who speaks out of the bush is first called "The Angel of the Lord," and then "The Lord." This may simply indicate that the Lord appeared in an angelic form. And yet this particular phrase, "The Angel of the Lord," has a peculiar use in the Old Testament Scriptures. It seems never to be applied to created angels, but always to a specific messenger of God, who is also represented as deity. To him divine attributes are ascribed. Was not he who in the beginning "was with God and was God?" In the beginning and in all times he was the "Word," the one revealer of God. Many suppose that he who appeared in the bush was none other than Christ.

Thus the great truth symbolized by the burning bush was not simply that the church is in every age exposed to fiery trials, but that the presence of Christ saves it from being destroyed, and makes all its sufferings a means of good.

The special object of this remarkable appearance comes out in the verses which follow. The attention of Moses being drawn to the strange sight God speaks to him out of the bush. He assures him that he has seen the afflictions of his people, and knows their sorrows, and is now about to appear for their deliverance. Then follow the summons and commission of Moses to be their leader: "Come now, therefore, and I will send thee unto Pharaoh." It was to prepare him for this great responsibility and most difficult undertaking that he had been so long at school, first in Egypt and now in the desert.

Two things are to be noted in the response of Moses. The first is his humility. And in this he greatly changed from what he was when, unsolicited, he once before offered himself as the champion of Israel! Then he was self-confident, haughty, impetuous. Now he is self-distrustful and humble. His judgment is sobered. He sees the difficulties that are to be surmounted. In solitude he has acquired hardihood and learned patience. He has come to be at home in that very wilderness through which Israel is to be led; to know its every fountain and spot of green, its best lines of march and places of rest. He has come closer to God. He has also discovered the imperfections of his own wisdom and strength. He is at last willing to be taught of God, and to wait upon his will. Now, therefore, God not only calls him, but assures him of his own guiding and sustaining presence, and that the final issue shall be a sufficient token that the call he now hears is truly from God.

The other thing to be noted in the response of Moses is his apparent doubt of the readiness of the people to receive and trust him. "When they shall say to me, What is his name? What shall I say unto them?" Just what Moses had in mind was not a mere designating title. A name is that by which one is known. One may be known by his attributes or perfections. Israel already knew God by more titles than one. What Moses now desired was to be told by what new manifestation God would come near to his people. What new revelation of himself would he make to them? In what character might the expect henceforth to know him. The phrase "I am that I am," implies absolute being and supreme power; perfections sovereign, eternal and unchanging. Such a being Israel might implicitly trust, and such they should find him to be. Under a leader sent and sustained by him they could not but prevail.

PRACTICAL SUGGESTIONS.

1. The unfolding of God's providence may seem slow, but in the end his fidelity and wisdom will stand approved.

2. For any great work there must be ordinary great preparation. Too many youths are in unwise haste to assume great responsibilities. Hence disappointments and failures, mortification and discouragement. Moses was two-thirds of his life at school—forty years in Egypt and fifty in the desert.

3. A secluded life is no misfortune. Oftentimes it affords the very best opportunities for improvements. It is in solitude that great souls—the Davids, Pauls, Luthers, Brownells—are ripened for great work. Jesus himself went often to the mountains and desert alone.

4. The fiery trials to which churches and believers are subjected are for their correction and purifying, not for their destruction. Having the presence of Christ they cannot be consumed or harmed.

5. Reverence for an unworthy object is not a moral virtue, but a sin. Reverence for God and for whatever reveals him is becoming and is pleasing to him.

6. God has some work for all his true children to do; for he seeks to train them; he it is sooner or later calls them. The path of obedience is the place of preparation. Listening ears cannot miss his voice.

7. The consciousness of our own weakness and insufficiency is an important condition of usefulness.

8. Ignorance which makes one willing to be taught, and of weakness which drives him to God for strength. The path of humility is the only true road to wisdom. The consciousness of dependence upon the help of God toward God and welcomes his power and grace.

9. The eternity and unchangeableness of God are among his most pleasant attributes. Whatever he has promised he will be able to accomplish. He who has said he will be no difficulties too great to overcome. By the hand of Moses, Israel was in due time brought from the house of bondage. They learned to be taught to the land flowing with milk and honey. So every believer will be delivered out of all his troubles, and will find a home at length in the heavenly land.

SITTING BULL'S SPEECH.

The Latest Oratorical Effort of the Big Chief Recently Reported and Translated by the Indian Editor of the Laramie City Boomerang.

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Warriors and war scarred veterans of the frontier.

Once more the warpath is overgrown with bunch grass, and the tomahawk snubbers in the wigwam of the red man. Grim visaged war has given place to piping times of peace. The cold and cruel winter is upon us. It has been upon us for some time.

The hail of departed spirits is upon the night wind and the wail of the man with the chin answers back from the warrior's wigwam.

Children of the forest, we are few. Where once the shrill war whoop of the chiefdom collected our tribe like the leaves of the forest, I could now yell all day and come home without bringing a quorum.

We are fading away before the march of the paleface, and sinking into oblivion like the snowflakes on the bosom of the Slinging Water.

Warriors, I am the last of a mighty race. We were a race of chiefs. Alas! we will soon be gone. The Bull family will pass from the face of the earth. I am gone, I am falling, and I don't feel very well myself. We are the victims of the palefaces, and our lands are taken away.

A few more suns and the civilization and the white state will have made our land desolate.

Our squaws and paposes are scattered to the four winds of heaven and we are left desolate.

Where is the Daughter-of-the-Tempest? Where is the Walk-By-Maiden-with-the-Peeled-Nose?

Where is Victoria Regina De Garcia Sittion? Where is Kookoo-Kooed-Cheh-tion? Where is Swayback Sue and Meek-Eyed Government Suck?

They have sunk beneath the frowsters of the goggles-eyed Caucasian. They have succumbed to the dila-tion triangle, and when I call them they come not. They do not hear my voice. Their moans are heard upon the still night air, and they cry for revenge. Look at the sad remnant of the family of Sitting Bull, your chief. One sore-eyed squaw is left alone. Her face is furrowed or with the famine of many winters, and her nose is only the ruin of its former grandeur. Her nose and ears are too long for her. She is, also, drunk. She is not as drunk as she can get, but she is hopeful and persevering. She has learned to live in a white man's house, and she is a good housewife. 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## The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, JULY 22, 1881.

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## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

## "FORCING A CENTENIAL."

If the editor of the *Attingham Advertiser* will examine the records of the Baptist church of that town, and also of the Baptist church of Woburn, of Nov. 16-30, 1817, he will probably modify his statements in the article "Forcing a Centennial," found in the editorial columns of that journal in the editorial columns of the *Woburn Journal* and its pastor would seem to require of the editor such modification.

## STILL IMPROVING.

Though Dr. Bliss's bulletins and private speech concerning the President's condition do not tally, there is no reason to doubt his steady improvement and gradual removal from all danger from the bullet wound in his side. Each day is marked with satisfactory progress. The President not only takes a deep interest in all public matters going on outside of his room, but he is able to read the papers, and is no longer dependent on attendants for current news. He cuts well, too, and sleeps without opiates; so that there are good reasons for anticipating his full recovery within a reasonable time, at which not only America but the whole world will rejoice.

Dr. Bliss will appropriate all the glory of the President's safe delivery, and unthinking people will acquiesce in his claims to having performed wonderful things in the case. His unprofessional and even boresome treatment of professional brethren, and the "style" he has indulged in all through his attendance on the President, show what the man is, and also that he means to make the most of the business for advertising purposes. The truth is, Dr. Bliss has done next to nothing—there was but little to do. Besides keeping the patient quiet and administering an opiate to relieve his pain occasionally there has been no duties for a physician to perform, and these duties an experienced nurse could have attended to just as well as Dr. Bliss could. Intelligent people understand that the recovery of the President is due more to his robust constitution, sound health, iron nerve, and great pluck than to anything Dr. Bliss has done, or could do, in the case; and they will be slow in joining in to glorify his name, and giving him credit that he does not deserve.

## THE SENATORIAL FIGHT.

The reports from the contest over the Senatorship at Albany are disappointing, to say the least. For some weeks the public have had the daily promise that the next pull would break the deadlock and result in the choice of successors to Conkling and Platt. This has been made good in part only. Platt's successor has been elected in the person of Mr. Miller, a very good choice report says—anyway, a much better man than Platt, and no disgrace to the great State of New York. The fight over Conkling's successor continues, though an early decision is promised, as it has been from day to day for several weeks. Lapham came very close to an election on Tuesday, and before this article gets into type it is possible, perhaps probable, that the New York Boss will have received his political death-blow by the choice of a better man to take the seat lately occupied by him in the Senate. But whether the decision is made this week or not until another Legislature has been elected, it is plain enough that Roscoe Conkling has seen his best days, as a party leader, or a public man. And his political demise will not be the occasion of a great deal of mourning.

## DIDN'T MAKE THE CONNECTIONS.

The Conkling crowd at Albany undertook, on Wednesday, to force an adjournment sine die of the Assembly without electing a successor to the Boss, but it didn't work worth a cent. The administration folks defeated the resolution. Failing in this scheme, they tried to make a dickens of it with the Democrats by which Conkling was to receive the election. This little plan was frustrated by a leading Democrat of the State, who brought his foot square down on it, and thus Mr. Conkling's chances for staying at home are better than ever.

## LOCAL NEWS.

**New Advertisements.**  
S. R. Niles—Pepin Trenches.  
T. C. Evans—Suspenders.  
Honey Doodle—Ridge's Food.  
M. J. Buckman—For Sale.  
Town of Woburn—Health Regulations.  
Advertiser—Lost.

Nathan G. Green has sold real estate to J. B. Rhodes for \$1,800.

Porter has purchased a new iron roller weighing 4,200 pounds.

Porter's is the nicest place in Woburn to take a smoke on one of his genuine cigars and take comfort.

On Sunday afternoon a little daughter of Mr. C. H. Bass was quite severely scalded on her face and arm.

On Tuesday John Donahue had three fingers of his right hand taken off by a machine in Sisson's shop.

A 6-year-old boy by the name of Henry Harrington, fell from a fence last Saturday and broke his collar-bone.

Last Saturday while James Sexton and George Halliday were scuffling the former received quite a severe scalp wound.

Quite a good many of our people attended the camp-meeting at Ballardvale last Sunday. It was a delightful day for it.

Grattan Literary Association will hold their first annual picnic in Smith's Park in Andover, on August 5, for which ample preparations will be made.

The alarm of fire on Tuesday evening was caused by the burning of a factory at Baeder, Adamson & Co.'s glue factory at Montvale. The damage was only about \$50.

One evening last week Post 33, G. A. R. passed some very appropriate resolutions on the attempted Presidential assassination. We print them in this paper. They were duly sent to Washington.

## FORMOSA, OOLONG AND JAPAN

## TEAS

AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—The macadamizing of Main street near the depot goes bravely on.

—Messrs. Smith & Son offer great bargains in black Lyons silk.

—Chief Conn's orders have greatly reduced the number of unlicensed dogs in town. And yet there are a few more left.

—The friends of Mr. Geo. Perry regret to learn of his departure for the West fearing he has in mind a permanent location there.

—The reunion of the G. A. R. here next October is to be honored with the presence of Gen. G. K. Warren of the United States Army.

—The two horses which strayed from the pasture on New Boston street a week ago Monday night were found on the following Tuesday night at Freetown.

—Nobody can find out with any degree of satisfaction what the engineers of the B. & L. R. Co. have been surveying on the far side of Horn Pond for lately.

—Last Saturday Division 3, A. O. U. M. numbering 300 strong, had a very fine and enjoyable picnic at Strawberry Hill. The National Band did the music, and first rate too.

—Saturday evening the teams of B. H. Nicholls and Willis Carter collided with N. R. McCormick's carriage on Main St., which left the buggy of the former minus a wheel and badly damaged.

—A Reading stable-keeper says he regularly lets all his teams on the evenings of the open-air concerts in Woburn. People come from all the neighboring towns to enjoy these musical treats.

—The St. Charles society are making preparations for a grand picnic in Hudson's Grove on next Wednesday. The best of music will be provided for the pleasant occasion, with games and all sorts of fun and enjoyment for old and young.

—The *JOURNAL* stated last week that Mr. and Mrs. Dodge furnished refreshments for the first annual Lawn Party of the S. S. A., which was an error—they had nothing to do with the pleasant affair farther than to allow their grounds to be used for it.

—James Marrinan isn't leader of the Woburn Brass Band, but T. H. Marrinan is. Some people are forever making mistakes! And it is James, brother of T. H., who has been engaged as cornetist down to the beach, while T. H. holds the fort in Woburn, and will keep on doing so nobly.

—The Baptist picnic at Lilly Pond Grove, Waltham, on last Friday, was a nice one. A large company went over, the weather was fine, and everybody had a good time.

Lilly Pond Grove is fitted up for picnic parties with croquet, bowling alleys, swings, boats, etc., and attracts a great many people to it.

—About 8 o'clock last Sunday morning a fire in A. A. Ferrin's oil cloth factory on Fowle street damaged stock to the extent of \$1,000, but the building escaped with slight injury. The cause of the fire was supposed to be spontaneous combustion. There was an insurance of \$800 in the Howard of New York.

—A good many of our people have left and will soon leave for Summer retreats by the seashore, among mountains, and the rural districts of Maine and New Hampshire where life isn't a burden in the dog-days.

They go hither and yon and scatter all about, proving that there is truth in the old saw, "money makes the mare go."

—The senior member of the firm of Jones & Doyle of the Central House stables returned from Canada on Tuesday evening and was followed on Wednesday by a car load of horses purchased by him in and about Montreal. They are a fine lot, selected with reference to the demands in this region, bought at fair prices, and will be sold at satisfactory figures.

—No Surrender Lodge made a good thing out of their late picnic. After the balance was struck a goodly sum was found on the credit side, to the great satisfaction of the Lodge. The picnic was a complete success every way. It was attended by large parties from Woburn, Boston, Cambridge, Charlestown, Somerville and all the surrounding towns and cities.

—The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held Thursday evening. Considerable business was transacted. It was voted to offer a reward of \$200 for the detection and arrest of incendiaries, to which amount it is expected that underwriters will make a considerable addition. Peter Murray was recommended for a pleader's license. Michael Flynn was appointed special police for the premises of E. W. Hudson. The Selectmen, Clerk, etc., enjoyed their new chairs and beautiful carpets.

—Everybody said the concert on the Common by the Woburn Brass Band on Wednesday evening was a clipper, and so it was to be sure. The boys never played better, and Mr. Thomas Marrinan, the leader, just more than made the cornet rattle in the solos. The attendance was very large indeed, and this too notwithstanding the evening was very hot, and the low growlings of the distant thunder and flashings of the lightnings warned of the approaching storm. There was a great number of stylish turn-outs, and a good deal of gallantry and young beauty from neighboring towns, which was agreeable, and impels us to say, come again, ladies and gents.

—The mind of the Woburn reporter of the *Herold* is considerably exercised over the condition of the town's almshouse. The building is not near as large as the reporter thinks it ought to be, and he suggests that at an early day in the future the taxpayers will be called upon to draw their cash-kiss and pay for a new one. He says the house now has thirty-eight inmates with several precincts to be heard from. There are some things about the rooms of the institution which will strike the reader as quite curious. For instance: the reporter informs us that "in some rooms just large enough for one bed it has been necessary to double up the number," and just how this is accomplished is a puzzle.

## Liberia, Mocha, Maleberry, Old

## COFFEES

AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—Mr. M. J. Buckman offers a pleasant cottage and grounds for sale on easy terms. See card.

—Everything about the depot of the B. & L. R. road here is clean and nice. A good job has been done to it.

—A communication from the Board of Health is published in this paper. Profit may be derived from its perusal.

—Miss Carrie Cook fell from a hammock at her home in Hart Place, last Sunday afternoon, and broke her collar-bone.

—Mr. Frank Wheelock, of near Charleston, S. C., a former resident of Woburn, is visiting Mr. O. Rich on Pleasant street.

—Dodge, the jeweller, is just knocking the peddlers on prices for spectacles and eye-glasses. Read his card in this paper.

—Deacon F. K. Cragin is rusticated at Brown's Hotel, Bristol, N. H. He says it is "a wild little village," and we trust he will enjoy it.

—Dr. Rogers and family will go to Farmington, Maine, to spend a few weeks, and his office at 1394 Main street will be closed from July 25 to August 12.

—In General Orders No. 5 by Commander-in-Chief Merrill, G. A. R., Thomas H. Hill, Esq. of Woburn is appointed assistant Inspector General for Massachusetts.

—Post 33 mailed a copy of their resolutions to "Charles Giteau, Assassin, Washington, D. C." He probably receives a good deal of that kind of intellectual pabulum to take in.

—The contract for supplying the public institutions of the town with wood and coal has been awarded to Mr. J. B. McDonald, who was the lowest bidder therefor. The prices are: \$6.20 for pine wood, and \$6.85 for stove; \$5.50 for fine coal, and \$7 for oak.

—The M. E. Sunday School and society held a picnic yesterday. Two large loads of jolly people started about eight o'clock, a few minutes after which a heavy thunder storm came up which somewhat interfered with the programme.

—The following officers of Ramford Lodge, 618, K. of H., were installed last Tuesday evening by C. A. Barton and suite: Dic, Charles H. Harding; V. D., F. W. Bosworth; A. D., A. H. Holland; Chaplain, Charles M. Strout; Reporter, G. J. Pindar; F. R., T. B. Evans; Treas., A. S. Wood; Guide, Robert King; Grand, C. N. Rosengut; Sent, J. Parker, 2d; Aud. Com., Fred. A. Flint; G. E. Kelley, H. L. Andrews; Med. Ex., S. W. Kelley.

—The following programme will be given by the National Band at their open-air concert, Wednesday evening, July 27:

**PROGRAME.**  
1. March. Exploit. Patz.  
2. Ronetaria. Spring Violette. Ripley.  
3. Cornet Solo. Silver Stream Polka. Rollinson.  
Performed by J. Collins.  
4. Musical Melange. This and That. Boettger.  
5. Waltz. Les Sirenes. Walldorf.  
6. Piccolo Solo. Canary Polka. Read.  
Performed by J. Clady.  
7. Overture. Fra Diavolo. Auber.  
8. Selection. Choice of Irish Airs. Meyer.  
9. Galop. Concert. Rollinson.  
10. Finale. Old Acquaintance. Armstrong.  
P. CALANAN, JR., Director.

—Last Thursday evening week death removed another of the old citizens of Woburn. Another of the links that connect the past with the present is gone, and soon there will be none of the old stock left.

On that evening occurred the death of Mr. James Tweed at the age of eighty-five years. He was an old resident, a man of worth, respected by everybody. For many years he was associated with Mr. George W. Reed in the meat business, and the welcome calls of his cart at the residences of our people are still pleasantly remembered. For some years prior to 1874 Mr. Tweed was in the hide and tallow business in Boston, which poor health compelled him to abandon that year, since which time he has been in no active business. He had many warm friends, and was universally esteemed. His funeral took place on Sunday, and was a very large one.

—The following resolutions were unanimously adopted at a regular meeting of Post 33, G. A. R., Department of Massachusetts, on Thursday evening, July 14, 1881:

**WHEREAS** our late comrade-in-arms, General James A. Garfield, President of the United States, was, on the second day of July, instant, cruelly and dangerously shot by a political foe, and now lies in a suffering and critical condition, therefore

**Resolved**, That we hereby express our utmost contempt for a human being who would thus cowardly assassinate any brave and honorable man, much more the chosen chief and head of a united nation.

**Resolved**, That in common with all worthy American citizens and the good people of all civilized nations, we hereby express and extend to our great President our warmest sympathies in his unmerited sufferings, and our most earnest wishes for his ultimate recovery and restoration to health and duty.

**Resolved**, That we have received with profound gratitude the latest intelligence from Washington, announcing an improved and more hopeful condition of our worthy executive—that he may speedily recover and resume his place at the head of our government, and thereby gladden fifty million sad and loyal hearts, is our most sincere desire.

—There is quite a batch of Police business to report this week: Peter Scanlan and Philip Smith, assault and battery, \$3 and costs, paid; Hugh Riley, c. d. was placed on probation on payment of costs; John Fleetwood, assault on his wife, \$5 and costs, had plenty of money but preferred to go down; John A. Bradley, John Holloran, and Thomas O'Brien, drunk, \$1 and costs; Fanny Rainey of the Highlands, violation of the liquor law, let off on the payment of costs and a promise to give up the business; Winchester lads who come to Woburn and disturb the peace are closely watched by officers McHugh and Mulkeen, who roped in Lawrence Smithson and George Garvin, who were each fined \$5 and costs.

The session of last week was the appearance of Mrs. Catherine Farrell on Everett street in *paribus nativibus*, or in plain English, "she was clad in a sunbeam," and a little cloudy at that. For this simple deviation from prevailing custom Kate pranced into court on Tuesday morning last, and His Honor considered that there was evidence enough to bind her over to the Grand Jury. In default of bonds she went down to jail.

## ROSE'S

## LIME JUICE,

AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—Our clergymen begin to look jaded, and evidently sigh for the vacation.

—Dog-days, with all that the words imply, will set in about next Monday.

—It was hot, muggy, disagreeable for humanity, and a good time for flies yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. Frank Edgecomb of Illinois spent a few days here with friends this week who were pleased to see him.

—Mr. E. W. Hudson is erecting a two-story house on Jones Court. Mr. Geo. E. Fowle is the builder.

—The skies weep with ease and frequently these times. It is what the farmers in old times called "ketchin' weather."

—James Moinehan, a young son of Mr. William Moinehan, fell from a fence on Wednesday and broke his right elbow.

—Mr. Mark Allen goes to Gloucester today to spend a brief period on the old homestead, which has been in the Allen family since 1773.

—Mr. Albert A. Ferrin tenders through the columns of the *JOURNAL* his sincere thanks to the Fire Department and to the citizens for their valuable assistance in extinguishing the fire at his shop on Fowle street last Sunday morning.

—They keep going. The hot weather hurries up the vacation. James Skinner, Esq., goes to-day to Fort Popham, down below Portland, Me., for his good time. And may his cup of happiness be brimful and running over. Rev. Mr. McDonald of St. Charles church has left for his vacation. Many more are preparing to leave.

—On Wednesday morning a team driven by Edward Shandley, a young man, was unmanageable on Church Avenue.

The tip-cart to which the horse was tackled collided with another vehicle, and in the difficulty Shandley had his left foot terribly crushed. He was taken to the office of Dr. Graves, who ordered him removed to the Massachusetts General Hospital where it is feared amputation of the foot will be found necessary.

—The Board of Selectmen have got far enough along with the tax business to be able to catch glimpses of the end, which will be shortly reached should no head-daws or counter-currents be met with. The glimpses forebode a belief that the rate of taxation this year will be \$1.50 on a thousand and less than last, or \$14.50, which will be agreeable intelligence to the tax-payers.

The exact moment when the books will be placed in the Collector's hands can't be designated now, but people might as well be getting ready for him.

**FORESTERS.**—State Ranger, Thomas H. Hill, of Woburn, installed the officers of Leechmere Court of East Cambridge, on Monday evening last. The new State organization has commenced business under auspicious circumstances, and parties will find the order a safe and economical method of life insurance.

—The alarm from box 12 at eleven o'clock last night was caused by fire in the White Birch Court on Main street. The fire probably originated in the work room of McGonagle Bros., tailors, which is on the second floor.

The building is occupied by McGonagle Bros., tailors; C. M. Strout, stove, etc.; J. Leathen, shoe dealer; T. Merriam, billiard saloon; and the Hibernian Hall. They are all damaged by fire. McGonagle Bros. are the greatest sufferers by fire and water. Fully insured in companies represented by Geo. H. Conn and T. H. Hill.

**REUNION.**—The residence of Mr. Hiram Whitford, was the scene of a happy event on Thursday last week. The descendants of William and Lucy Whitford assembled in social greeting, some of whom had been separated many years. Of eleven sons and daughters five survive, three brothers and one sister of Mr. Hiram Whitford, of whom the average age is seventy-one years. All the survivors were present on this occasion, namely: Mary Whitford, wife of Mr. George Gray of Waterford, N. Y.; Jeremiah Whitford of Washington, D. C., accompanied by his wife; Elliot and Seth Whitford of Nashua, N. H. with their wives; who with children and grandchildren numbered about forty persons. Four generations were represented, the fourth by a two-year-old grandson of Mr. Hiram Whitford of Waltham.

New Hampshire, Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania, and the District of Columbia, each had their representatives. Other members of the family residing in these states were unable to be present besides some who are located in Delaware, Illinois and Georgia. From these many expressions of regret were received.

The day was spent in social intercourse, past associations were revived, the ties of kindred were cemented in renewed interest, and an impulse given to future affiliation which will culminate in the pleasure of reunion. To all who participated it was a joyous occasion and we congratulate Mr. & Mrs. Hiram Whitford on the success of their family reunion.

—In 1861 the town of Woburn chose nine selectmen for the first time. Prior to that date three was the number. The Board accepted the rooms now the offices of lawyer Johnson and Deputy Sheriff Collamore, but for evening sessions, more elbow room being required, the apartment in the rear of Judge Converse's present office was used. Under the nine member arrangement it was discovered, naturally enough too, that more chairs were needed, for the number of seats necessary to hold the old Board of three fell in the neighborhood of half a dozen short for the new one of nine. So Mr. Stephen Dow, an honored member of the new Board, was appointed a Committee of One to procure the requisite number of chairs to answer the changed condition of things and report. I mine execution of this important trust Mr. Dow exhibited rare business qualities, as he has in his private affairs through life. He bought the chairs, and of such excellent quality were they that each successive august body of town rulers have used them constantly, and though for twenty

## SPICES, C. TARTAR,

AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

years they have borne great weight of dignity and avoidupois almost daily, they seem to be good for a long period of service yet. But of course, like all things old, they have gone out of fashion, and at the same time the present board are high-steppers, tony, and are given to style; so the old cane-seats that Mr. Dow selected with such excellent judgment and some misgivings as to whether they were not too upper-crust and costly for the tax-payers of that day, have, this week, been relegated to private life, a second-hand furniture store, or some other unpromising situation for them, and new ones have been taken their place. And such new ones! Ah, but can't dignity and importance arise themselves to perfection in those chairs! We can't exactly say whether they are East ake, Cottage Grove, Library, or a new pattern gotten up expressly for the Woburn Selectmen, but they are very handsome, very solid, heavy and extremely neat. With a sort of bell-weather, so to speak, constructed on a more elaborate scale for the Chairman. And not only chairs, but elegant and costly carpets have been laid in both rooms—splendid floor coverings—and bordering, and painting, and so-forth have been done, so that the Board's quarters are second to none anywhere for beauty, convenience, elegance, and comfort. And now if we could only have some real good men to take the place of those very poor ones (politically, we mean, for personally or officially, they are full yard wide and will wash) the hanging of the goose would be satisfactory.

**Library Notes.**  
The reports from various libraries in this and other states very generally show a falling off in the circulation of books during the last year. This is particularly so with regard to the subscription libraries, where an annual fee of from one to five dollars is required of all persons who draw books or have access to the reading rooms. In some places in this state an annual payment is demanded for the use of what are known as public libraries, or those supported by a town or city. An annual charge in all such cases, if not more than twenty-five or fifty cents, defeats to a considerable extent the objects of such institutions, as it cuts off a large class of persons from the benefits to be derived from them. That very class which, perhaps, most needs their educational influence is debarred by a trifling sum from receiving it. It may be said if such persons will not pay the small fee demanded, they ought to go without the advantages to be gained by a library. But facts show that a free library in any place will more than double the circulation of its privileges. If one or two dollars were asked for a year's instruction in them, would not the attendance fall off at least fifty per cent? No doubt of it. One reason for the diminution in the circulation of the large libraries like the Mercantile in New York and Philadelphia is the great reduction in the price of reading matter. Novels, histories, and travels are now printed in the "Seaside," "Franklin Square," and other cheap forms, so that a reader can get for ten or fifteen cents the very best works and enjoy them at his leisure. But these cheap issues do not so much affect the strictly public libraries. Although, as was said above, their book deliveries were somewhat diminished last year from causes not very appreciable, the increase thus far in the present year is greater than the falling off; our own library is a marked instance of this increase. The number of deliveries from March 1 to July 1, 1880, was 29,257; for the same period this year, 22,844—a gain of 2,907 in four months, or at the rate of about 8,000 per year. The industries of the town seem to be quite general, so that the larger amount of reading cannot be placed to the account of mere idleness. The true reason for this is undoubtedly the perfect freedom of access to the best books of the day in all departments of literature and the very pleasant conditions which surround the visitors to the library. G. M. C.

**I WILL NEVER!**  
Allow myself to suffer again what I have suffered for the last year. That vile disease Dyspepsia gave me no comfort. I could not eat or enjoy anything. The doctors amounted to nothing; nothing seemed to relieve me, until I used a bottle of Sulpbur Bitters. Four bottles made me well.—*Shoe Dealer.*

**WALNUT HILL.**  
The City Council Committee on Military Affairs of Boston is considering the propriety of adopting the range at Walnut Hill as a place for rifle practice for the Boston companies of the militia, the law requiring the city to provide a range.

The Mass. Rifle Ass'n held its regular meet on their grounds on Saturday, with a show attendance. Following are best scores of the day:

Handicap Match—G. Warner, John Borden, A. L. Burr, C. B. Arthur, A. C. Stacy, 42; S. F. Frank, 43; G. H. Osborne, J. B. Black, J. Nichols, D. P. Holden, C. O. Potter, A. B. Appleton, 42.

Sharpshooters Match—F. J. Rabbeth, 105; J. C. Francis, 101; G. Warren, 100. Badge Match, No. 4—A. C. Adams, 49; J. Merrill, 47.

The regular glass ball match will be held next Thursday.

The regular Long Range Match was continued Friday, postponed from Wednesday, with the following result: J. F. Brown, 217; H. Tyler, 216; W. C. Gregory, 213; W. Gerrish, 211; J. S. Sumner, 210.

The regular Long Range Match was continued on the M. R. A. grounds Wednesday with the following result: F. J. Rabbeth, 220; H. Tyler, W. Howard, 217; W. C. Gregory, 210; J. F. Brown, 209.

The Roxbury City Guards, Co. D, First Inf., were at practice upon the grounds on Wednesday.

**CLYDE.**  
\$66 a week in your own town. Terms and \$5 outfit free. Address H. HALLITT & Co., Portland, Me.

## CHOCOLATE and COCOA

AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

**MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.**  
UNITARIAN.—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. by Pastor.

EPISCOPAL.—Sixth Sunday after Trinity. At 10.30 a. m. 1. Young People's meeting at 7 p. m. 2. The heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended in bodily shape like a dove.

MONTVALE METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev J. H. Mason pastor. Preaching Sunday morning at 10.45; Sunday school at 12; prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

CATHOLIC.—Services at St. Charles church Main street, at the usual hours on Sunday.

CONGREGATIONAL.—Preaching by the Pastor at 10.30 a. m. 1. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. 2. Service of praise and lecture by the Pastor at 7 p. m. The usual service on Wednesday evening.

**DR. GEORGE S. DODGE**  
Supplies Trusses and Shoulder Braces, and his patients can have them adjusted with professional skill and accuracy without excruciating pain.

Dr. G. S. Dodge, Physician & Pharmacist, 165 Main Street, Woburn.

**Died.**  
Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, July 15, Margaret C. Hill, aged 43 yrs. In Winchester, July 16, Margaret McCarthy, aged 31 years and 6 months.

In Woburn, July 17, Margaret Dilsen, aged 70 years. In Salem, July 18, Ellen J. Blake of Woburn, aged 75 years.

In Woburn, July 14, Simon B. Kinsman, aged 74 years and 5 months. In Burlington, J. H. Abigail Haven, aged 80 years and 10 months.

In Woburn, July 14, James Tweed, aged 85 years. In Woburn, July 18, Austin H. Perkins, aged 72 years.

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**THE GREAT CERMAREMELLY**  
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Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quinsy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns, etc. Scalds, General Bodily Pains.

Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frayed Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.



## WINCHESTER.

Work on the Water Works is going ahead.

Only two lots were sold at the Pratt sale of real estate.

Mr. Lewis Smith and family of Philadelphia are spending a few weeks here.

Mr. Robert C. Metcalf does his camping out this summer near Yarmouth, N. S.

Rev. Mr. Dillingham of Charleston will occupy the Unitarian pulpit next Sunday.

The Stoneham Independent-Annex is very severe on the Journal's Winchester correspondent. Shoo, fly!

Mr. Justice Littlefield has had several cases before him this week, but this community do not take much interest in Police Court reports.

Lucius Symmes, T. K. Bruce, E. B. Whitney and Frank Wadleigh started for a camping season in Cumberland county, Maine, last week.

Rev. Father O'Connor's church, society, and Sunday school had a very pleasant picnic on Saturday at Rock Grove, Woburn. It was a very refreshing season for all concerned.

Sunday laws, as pertaining to places of business, are not observed as they should be or have not been, so steps have been inaugurated for reform in this direction. And it is a very good direction.

The Rising Star Juvenile Temperance Society will resume their meetings some time in September. As a factor in the temperance work this organization wields an influence that all acknowledge.

It is expected that the State Board of Education will hold a Teacher's Institute here in the early Autumn. And our School Board have promised to aid and assist in the matter, and a great educational time is anticipated.

Mr. G. C. Small of this town was one of the Vice-Presidents of the Reform Club Convention held at Hingham last Tuesday. He delivered an address before the convention, and was also put on the committee chosen to appear before the next Legislature in behalf of the metropolitan police laws.

Quite a number of our people are away on their summer vacations. Others are preparing for an early exit. Mr. & Mrs. L. R. Symmes are down on the Cape; J. H. Dwinel and family are at Duxbury; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patch have gone to Lake George; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Spurr are at Hyannis.

Several of our society young ladies (perhaps I ought to say a boy or two) are arranging a party for a camping season of a week or two at the salt water. I turn the idea of peaching on them and giving the names of the members of the intended party; but this much is in order: they are getting up an outfit for a season of rare fun and jollity.

The Healy case, which Mr. Justice Littlefield has had under advisement for a week, was decided in favor of Healy, who was duly discharged. As the testimony was presented the Court's decision could not have been different from what it was. I conclude, however, that there is a good deal of nastiness in the whole business. That Healy sells rum hardly allows of doubt.

The open-air concert, which was to have been given by the Stoneham Band on Wednesday evening, was postponed to Friday to accommodate the large number of people who wanted to attend the concert of the Woburn Brass Band on Woburn Common.

Our people lot as much on attending the open-air concert of the Woburn Bands as your own citizens do, and enjoy them as much.

In its last issue the Stoneham Independent-Annex read the temperance people of Winchester a severe lesson on the way in which they ought to conduct their warfare on the rum traffic which no doubt will have a salutary effect. The citizens of Winchester must feel highly flattered to be told by their recent Stoneham newspaper impertinence that they do not know enough to properly conduct their own business!

## INTERESTING ITEMS.

Copeland, Bowser & Co., are selling a good many dry goods considering the late-ness of the season.

The Brooklyn Eagle is responsible for the following: "William," she exclaimed, pushing him away from her, "you've been eating radishes." "Clara," he responded reproachfully, "you forget that I live in a boarding house, and that radishes at this season of the year cost ten cents a bunch. 'Forgive me Willie,' she said penitently, and immediately rising, turned the light down several degrees lower.

That Corrugated Flour at the Boston Branch takes the cake.

He was praising her beautiful hair and begging for one tiny curl, when the little brother said, "Oh, my 'taint nothing now. You just ought to see how long it hangs down when she laughs it on the table to comb it." Then they laughed and she called her brother a cute little angel, and when the young man was going away and heard the boy yelling, he thought the lad was taken suddenly ill.

Nice soda is sold at Hill's drug store.

Young man, never lose your presence of mind when you are in a trying situation. When you take a girl you love to a picnic, and you go away together to commune with nature, and she suddenly exclaims: "Oh! George! there's an ant down my back!" don't stand still with your mouth open; don't faint, don't go for the girl's mother — go for the ant.

Straw hats and summer garments are going off like hot cakes at Munroe's.

A prize show of parrots was held in the north of England. After many others had been brought forward before the judges, one bird, on having its cover removed, won the prize by acclamation. Looking around on the company in which it had been so suddenly introduced, it exclaimed: "By Jove, what a lot of parrots!"

Nearly all the ills that afflict mankind can be prevented and cured by keeping the stomach, liver and kidneys in perfect working order. There is no medicine known that will do this as quickly and surely, without interfering with your duties, as Parker's Ginger Tonic. See ad.

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This most remarkable and steady increase, shows at once the uniform excellence of the Flour. The Millers are among the largest and best in the country. They were among the first to adopt the PATENT CORRUGATED ROLLER, the advantages of which we readily appreciated and have now conclusively demonstrated to the consumer. Our experience of the past year justifies us in warranting

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AGENTS FOR WOBURN.

We have received an advance copy of a new publication, entitled, "The New Testament, Revised Edition." We have not yet had time to look it over carefully, but it is well printed and independent of politics, and we predict for it a prosperous career.

The beauty and color of the hair may be safely regained by using Parker's Hair Balsam, which is much admired for its perfume, cleanliness and dandruff eradicating properties.

A loquacious man suffering from insomnia was advised by his physician to get married. He took the advice, and meeting the doctor awhile after, was asked: "Are you troubled with sleeplessness any longer?" "Thank God, no," he answered, "but my wife is."

He stood barefooted on the seashore in the moonlight, and turned his poetic ear to catch what the wild waves were saying; but when a wandering crab appropriated one of his toes for a toothpick, he keeled over and let out the other nine in a shadow dance that made the gods scream.

She is going to try it. A correspondent writes from way down East, in Lubec, Me., to Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.: "I called on you about six weeks ago, sick with Bilious disease. I bought a bottle of 'Favorite Remedy' and it cured me. What I want is some more of your medicine. My daughter is going to try it." Sensible man. He will not regret it, and when his daughter has tried it she will be satisfied too. "Favorite Remedy" is just the thing for the ills that afflict womankind."

After trying a score of glasses without finding anything to suit her, Miss Posieush was handed her twenty-first pair. "There," said the optician, "perhaps these will fit your sight." She set them astride of her precious nose. "Oh!" she exclaimed, "these are perfectly lovely. I can see just as well as with the naked eye." "So I suspected," was the laconic response of the dealer as he deposited the two dollar bill in the drawer. The lenses were only window glass.

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## LITERARY NOTICES.

The Midsummer Holiday SKETCHES more than ever justifies its title, no less than five articles being directly adapted to the season, while three or four others pertain to topics of current interest. The fiction, to which one naturally turns first, includes the first half of the new story, The Daughter of Henry Sage Rittenhouse, Queen Titania, The Village Convict, and five more of Uncle Remus's amusing fables of negro folk-lore complete the Rainy Day. The illustrated articles are also of a kind to be welcomed by a summer audience. They are The Isle of Peace, By the Sea in Normandy, The Sailor's Wife, First Communion, A Little World, Ice-Yachting, Peter the Great, and so forth.

There are several fine essays by distinguished writers and numerous sparkling Midsummer poems. The Editor's work is all first class, timely, and exceedingly readable.

The August number of OUR LITTLE ONES is a perfect beauty. The pictures, which are numerous, are simply superb, and will delight the young people. The illustrations in OUR LITTLE ONES seem to get nearer to where we live than those of any other juvenile magazine published. The stories and poetry of this number are very nice and entertaining. Published by The Russell Publishing Co., Boston, Mass.

## WAKEFIELD.

SCHOOLS.—The State Inspector of Buildings has condemned the First Grammar School room in the High School building as unsafe for occupancy, on account of inadequate means of exit in case of fire. A town meeting will probably be called to remedy the evil.

## MONTVALE.

The following are the officers-elect of Division 18, A. O. U. of Montvale: President, James Cogan; vice-president, Thomas Kerrigan; recording secretary, James Scanlon; financial secretary, Wm. McDonough; treasurer, Michael Caulfield.

The St. Joseph's church will have a picnic at Rock Pond Grove on the 6th of August, for its benefit.

## Holiday Resort.

Those who have not visited Nantasket Beach for the past few years, would hardly recognize any portion of this harbor peninsula. Everything has suddenly changed as if by magic. Strolling away along the beach as far as the eye can reach, rows of bright and handsome cottages have sprung up in all directions. Gay and fashionable ladies and gentlemen crowd the beach and promenade of the hotels, cars of the Nantasket Beach railroad leave Old Colony House Station, carrying crowds who enjoy the novel sensation of a ride of almost 9 miles beside the breakers. Reeves celebrated American Band of Providence, and the Cadet Band of Boston give concerts day and evening.

The scenes after sunset are equally enlivening when the powerful and numerous electric lights cast a bright light over the faces of the jolly holiday seekers, this taken with the soft strains of music wafted over the surf, the musical noise of the white-capped breakers, the cool and refreshing breeze, the never ending change of the merry dances, bright and gaily illuminated cafes, with tables loaded with tempting and palatable delicacies, all go to make Nantasket a little short of a paradise. To bring all this about over one million dollars has been expended within one year. This sum was principally laid out on the construction of the railroad and the erection of the Hotel Pemberton, and other improvements which are in rapid progress. The best of all is that the price remains the same, being only 25c. for 9 miles boat and 9 by rail.

## Important to Travelers.

Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue.

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Woburn, April 29, 1881. 18-20

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, Next-of-Kin, and all other persons interested in the Estate of Mary Carter, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Dexter Carter, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, no executor being named in said will;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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Third Quarter.

BY REV. HENRY M. GROUT, D. D.

JULY 24.

Lesson 4:

Moses and Aaron.

Ex. 3: 1-14; 5: 1-4.

**GOLDEN TEXT.**—He sent Moses his servant and Aaron whom he had chosen.—Ps. 105: 26.

**Central Truth.**—Faith the condition of acceptable service as well as of salvation.

The call of Moses, and his response to the divine summons, was our last topic; and close upon it follows that of to-day.

From so great a task as that assigned him he drew back. He placed personal unworthiness. Then he would know by what name God would be known to his people. The Lord patiently replied to his questioning and removed his difficulties as we have already seen.

Moses was then directed to go to Egypt, and make known to Israel, through his elders, God's good purpose concerning them. He is assured that they will hearken to his voice. But Pharaoh will refuse to let the people go. So reasonable a request as that they may go a three days' journey into the wilderness to offer a sacrifice will be denied. Nor will he yield until the land shall be sorely smitten and his stubborn will be broken.

Israel shall then go out, not so much by the King's consent as with triumph, and laden with the spoil of victors.

Moses still shrinks from the undertaking, and starts a new difficulty. The people will be incredulous; it is forty years since he went into exile; they do not know him. To meet this plea he is empowered to work three miracles, well suited to confirm his own faith and to prove both to Israel and to Pharaoh his divine commission. Yet, again, Moses drew back. A leader should be "eloquent," able to kindle enthusiasm, and he is "slow of speech and of a slow tongue."

And again God replied with patience, and assured him of divine and all-sufficient aid. Here, finally, the deep reluctance of Moses came in the plea that after all another may be sent. Upon this the anger of the Lord was kindled against him. Nevertheless he still bore with the great weakness of his servant, and now at last announced that he should not go alone. Aaron "can speak well." He shall be his helper. Already he is on his way to meet Moses in the wilderness.

This brings us to the opening words of the present lesson.

The story now goes back a little. It starts with the call of Aaron. Wonderful indeed are the ways of God! Under his guidance "all things work together." Egypt and the wilderness are equally under his eye. Aaron there and Moses here are both being prepared for the same work. The same hands leads them. In due time they meet.

The signs which are now done by Aaron are those to which allusion has already been made. He speaks for Moses, and acts for him. The staff of Moses was to be thrown upon the ground, when it should become a serpent, causing him to draw back; then he should take it by the tail, and it should become again a staff. He should put his hand into his bosom, and find it leprous as snow, and then, putting it into his bosom again, he should find it restored. He should pour water from the Nile upon the ground, and it should become blood. And it was done.

Concerning these miracles it is to be noted that, so far as appears from the Scriptures, they were the first ever wrought by the agency of man. This is altogether remarkable. The oldest books of other religions are full of man-wrought marvels, both trivial and grotesque. Not one such is recorded in patriarchal Bible history. When miracles, by human agency, do appear, it is that they may serve a great and worthy end. The Church of God is now to enter upon its first great conflict with the world. It is needful that her leader should bear credentials attesting his divine commission. Such was the first purpose of these miracles. They were "medicines applied to the dejected soul of the great prophet," while to Israel and to Pharaoh they were signs of the divine presence and power—clearing to the one, appalling to the other.

The effect of the signs upon Israel was just what had been promised: "All the people believed." But Pharaoh's heart, as had been predicted, was only hardened. Thus the same gracious interpositions have in all times been to some "saviors of life unto life," and to others "saviors of death unto death."

There is, at first glance, an appearance of possibly shrewd policy, if not of deception, in the particular request addressed to Pharaoh. It was for leave to go a three days' journey into the wilderness to hold a religious feast, the real intention being that they should never return. But, plainly, God had no need of strategy or deception. He had no lack of resources or power. The purpose was not to make obedience to Pharaoh's part more easy. Had he acceded to the first and smaller request, the next and larger would have been less difficult. This is ever God's way. Today he sets before us tomorrow's duty. This prepares us for that of tomorrow. Life is unfolded step by step, hour by hour. Such is the wisdom and grace of God. He condescends to our weakness.

All this helps us to see the great wickedness of Pharaoh in his response to the divine command. That command was just; it was by no means extravagant or hard. It was by the lips of a miraculously accredited messenger. Could the most determined unbeliever could have so shut his eyes upon the clearest evidence, and have impulsively declared, "Who is the Lord, that I should obey his voice?" It was a terrible exhibition of the daring of human pride and of the deceitfulness of sin.

**Practical Suggestions.**

1. It is God's way to anticipate the difficulties of his servants. Before Moses had uttered his plea of weakness and insufficiency, Aaron was already on his way to be his helper.

2. In work for God, two are often better than one. Companionship is strength. Few

feelings are so depressing as the sense of isolation. Especially is this true when the work is great and the foes are many. The Savior sent out the seventy two by two. Even prayer is more sure of answer where two are agreed in its utterance.

3. Every man's first duty and privilege is to believe the Divine Word. It was his unbelieving fear which made the obedience of Moses so slow. It was their faith which made the divine blessing on God's people sure. It was his proud unbelief which brought final and utter ruin upon Pharaoh.

"He that believeth shall be saved." "Without faith it is impossible to please God."

4. Nor is anything so rational as faith in God and in his Son Jesus Christ. He does not always perform miracles to confirm his words, but he does furnish sufficient evidence to justify belief.

5. Contempt of God and indifference to the toils and pains of fellow-men have a common root. Both are products of selfishness. They go often together.

6. The tendency of wealth and power are to intensify selfishness and harden the heart.

7. Godless men see neither beauty nor profit in the worship of God. Time thus spent is thought to be wasted, which is another confirmation of the saying that "spiritual things are spiritually discerned."

8. The servant of God need never greatly wonder if his motives and conduct are misunderstood and misrepresented. Our Savior did not escape false accusations.

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The Same Old Round.

"Could I see the editor?" she asked, looking around for him and wondering what was going on under the table.

"Eh! yes, I'm him," responded the editor, evolving himself and slipping a cork into his vest pocket. "What can I do for you?"

"I am a student at Packer's Institute," responded the blushing damsel, "and I have written a little article on 'Our School Days' which I would like to have published in the Brooklyn Eagle if you think it is good enough."

"Certainly," replied the editor, gazing in unconscious admiration upon the beautiful face before him. "Does it commence 'Our School Days'?"

"Yes, it does," responded the beaming girl, "and it commences—'How the wordslinger in sweet cadences on the strings of memory!' Is that the way it runs?"

"Why, yes," responded the beaming girl, "and it goes on—'How we look forward from them to the time when we shall look back to them!'"

"How did you know?"

"Never mind," said the editor, with the engaging smile which has endeared him to the citizens of Brooklyn. "After that comes, 'So sunshiny! So gilded with pleasures that make youth happy, they have flown into the immemorial past and come to us in after life only as echoes in the cave of sweet recollections.' Isn't that it?"

"It certainly is," answered the astonished girl, radiant with delight. "How could you know what I had written?"

"Then it changes from the pianissimo and becomes more tender: 'The shadows gather round our path. The roses of friendship are withering, but may we not hope that they will bloom again as we remember the affection that bound us here and made?'"

"No, you're wrong there," and the soft eyes looked disappointed.

"Is it 'Hope on, hope ever?' asked the editor.

"That comes in further on. You had it nearly right. It is 'The sun shadows close around us. The flowers of friendship are sleeping, but not withered, and will bloom again in the affectionate remembrance of the chains that bound us so lightly.'"

"Strange that I should have made that mistake," said the editor musingly. "I never missed one before. From there it goes, 'Schoolmates, let us live so that all our days shall be radiant as those we have known here, and may we pluck happiness from every bush, forgetting never that the thorns are below the roses, and pitying those whose hands are bruised in the march through life.'"

"That's it!" exclaimed the delighted girl. "And then comes 'Hope on, hope ever.'"

"Sure, you're born!" cried the editor, blushing with pleasure, and once more on the right track. "Then it runs: 'And as for you, teachers don't!'"

"Yes, yes, you're right," giggled the girl. "I can't see how you found it out! Would you like to print it?" and her face assumed an anxious shade.

"Certainly," responded the editor. "I'll say it by the most promising young lady in Brooklyn, the daughter of an esteemed citizen, and a lady who has already taken a high social rank!"

"That finishes the school commencement at one swoop," sighed the editor, gloomily, as the fair vision faded out. "Can't see how I made that blunder about the shadows and roses and friendship. Either I'm getting old or some of these girls have struck out something original. Here, Swipes, tell the foreman to put this stuff in the next issue, and let the editor feel in his hair for the cork, and wondered what had happened to his memory."

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## The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, JULY 29, 1881.

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## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

## THE STRUGGLE ENDED.

The long, tedious Senatorial fight at Albany ended last week in favor of the administration party and to the utter discomfort of Mr. Conkling. Lapham was elected by a solid Republican vote, the friends of the Boss having deserted him in a body on Friday afternoon, after protesting that opposition to the will of the people at the command of Conkling and Arthur was wrong and ought not to be carried on any further. Conkling struggled hard to have his stalwart supporters join with the Democrats in voting a final adjournment of the Assembly, but they would not yield to his entreaties nor they his command to adopt a course that would disrupt the Republican party and ruin the men politically who participated in it. Seeing no other way out of the broil, the stalwarts went over to the administration side, and Lapham was elected.

Thus Mr. Conkling's political career is ended for the present at least. It was a case of suicide. But for his selfishness, vanity and mulishness, Mr. Conkling would have been in the Senate now, with his friend Platt near by to do his will and pleasure. Instead of that he is more completely out in the cold than any public man in New York, with fewer friends, and a poorer political prospect than the smallest of them. Setting out with a purpose to control the new administration and failing in it most signally, he threw up his hand and went back to the Legislature of his State for "reconciliation," and got it after a two months' struggle, by being emphatically rejected for the place he so foolishly left. Failing to rule he undertook to ruin, but in this too he was checkmated, and now after his long and brilliant career, his successful bossing of a great State, and having everything just as he wanted it for years, there is none so poor as to do him reverence.

Mr. Conkling is the sole author of his own downfall. He has no one to blame but himself, and though it is the nature of man to pity him, the verdict will be that he got no more than he deserved.

## HIS CONDITION.

Since our last issue the President has submitted to two surgical operations, and is now said to be very much better for their having been performed. The removal of considerable splinters of the rib, which operation was heroically endured by the patient, gave great relief, and insures his ultimate recovery. During Saturday and Sunday he was regarded as being in a very dangerous condition—so much so that Drs. Agnew and Hamilton were summoned to his bedside—and by the former the operations referred to were decided on and performed. The relief from the removal of the bone was immediate, and since then the President has been on the mend. The doctors unite in saying that the danger is past, and there is no reason that they can discern why recovery should not be deemed certain and speedy.

Dr. Agnew now has the case, which we think augurs well for the safety of the President.

Mr. Justice Clifford of the United States Supreme Bench died at Cornish, Maine, on Monday morning last, after a protracted and painful illness, aged seventy-eight years. His death makes an opening for some one of several hundred lawyers, good, bad and indifferent, who have had an eye on, and been in training for, the place for a year or two, and a smart scramble for it may be expected. The position naturally belonging to New England, the newspapers generally prefer Chief Justice Gray; but if Mr. Blaine favors Judge Libby, the only Democratic member of the Supreme Court of Maine, that distinguished jurist will probably step into Judge Clifford's shoes in due time.

Turnabout is fair play, so Mr. Conkling may conclude to offer himself for Mr. Lapham's seat in the Lower House. Just now it is not thought that he feels himself above such a thing. There are some, however, who think the President, if he lives, will offer him the seat on the Supreme Bench lately occupied by Judge Clifford.

## LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.  
F. V. Wright—Assurance Notice.  
G. W. Nichols—Local.  
Dauby & Co.—Sashery & Jones.

—Lots of people indulge in going a-luck-leberring these days.

—The Woburn reporter of the Herald is spending a brief period in New York city.

—The picnic of the St. Charles society will take place on the 27th of next month.

—Mr. M. W. Strout and family left today for a three-weeks ramble along the coast of Maine.

—The picnic of the Graven Literary Association comes off at Smith's Park, Andover, next Friday.

—Yesterday morning his Honor mulcted Henry Ferrin in \$5 and costs for assault on Thomas Brayden.

—Chief Engineer Littlefield and family returned from a brief but pleasant visit to Mr. Desart last Saturday.

—"Woburn's Pride," an excellent article on our Public Library by a valued contributor to the JOURNAL, will be printed next week.

—The Clinton Hose Company, as likely a set of boys as Woburn can scare up, took a fishing excursion off Swampscott last Friday night.

—Providence has smiled against the hay-makers pretty severely during the last week. Vennor has raised the very Dutch with the weather and haying.

—The Postoffice is one hand short this week, the lady clerk being away on her vacation. \*But Bro. Wyman and Charley are hosts in themselves, and the way they make mail matter fly is a caution to sinners.

A Choice Selection of  
FORMOSA, OOLONG AND JAPAN  
TEAS

AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—Chief Ranger Thomas H. Hill, of the Mass. Order of Foresters, reports fifteen Courts in this State with 1083 members.

—The working of the steamers at the Boston Rubber Co. fire in Malden Monday night was distinctly heard here at the Centre.

—People are beginning to think about making their coal contracts for the winter coming. There is a plenty of it, and tolerably cheap just now.

—Mr. Ward W. Hart got a cut over one of his eyes last Saturday morning by a collision of some cars while making up the 9 o'clock train to the city.

—Messrs G. A. Simonds and John Cummings have lately commenced manufacturing shoe-stiffenings in the upper story of Mr. Norris's planing-mill.

—In stating that the old homestead at Gloucester which Mr. Mark Allen went down to visit last Friday had been in the family since 1773 an error of a hundred years was made—it should have been 1673.

—Mr. Editor Parker of the Arlington Advocate paid Woburn a flying visit on Saturday. In company with his father he called at the Journal office and spent a brief period, which was agreeable to the Journal.

—The alarm of fire at 11 o'clock on Monday night was caused by the burning of the Boston Rubber Company's works at Edgeworth in Malden. Discovering that the fire was out of town the machines returned to their houses.

—On October 5, Company K, 39th Mass. Reg't, will give a reunion in Woburn. Their affair has no connection with the G. A. R., as has been erroneously stated. Several members of the Company live hereabouts, and it is expected, that as a Regimental reunion, it will be a grand success.

—There was an exceedingly pleasant lawn party at Mr. George Buchanan's on the corner of Bennett street and Church Avenue last week, which was attended by a large number of invited guests. The grounds were finely illuminated, and the Woburn Brass Band furnished some excellent music. No more enjoyable party has been given here this summer.

—It is conceded by nearly everybody, we suppose, that man can't live by bread alone, but he can come pretty near it—the physical man, we mean—if he buys Estabrook's "Cream Bread," a new thing in the line of edibles, and about as nice as anything anybody ever stuck a tooth into. We advise all lovers of good eating to try Estabrook's "Cream Bread"—they'll never want any other afterwards.

—Mr. T. F. Burt, the Stoneham jeweller, having gone to Mr. Desart in search of health, his brother-in-law, Mr. Nichols of this place, will attend to his business during his absence. Mr. Nichols will be in Stoneham on Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, and will be found at Mr. Burt's place of business. He is a first class workman, and our Stoneham neighbors will find him all right in every respect.

—"Salem," in his interesting Boston letter to *The Standard* of Chicago, the very able Baptist organ of the West, says of the Woburn First Baptist Church: "The Woburn Church has a century of history of which it may well be proud. The present congregation worships in an elegant edifice, recently remodeled, and entirely free from debt. The Rev. Mr. Mills is an earnest and judicious pastor, of great organizing ability, and rejoices in abundant prosperity. He is in the seventh year of his pastorate."

—The concert given by the National Band on the Common, Wednesday evening, was an excellent one. There has been nothing better in the series so far. Collins's cornet solo was vigorously applauded, and Claffy's solo on the piccolo was enthusiastically encored and repeated. Briefly, from the first dulcet strains of the cymbals to the last melodious demisemiquaver of the big bass-drum the music was very entertaining. The attendance, particularly from out of town, was very large indeed.

—The Woburn Brass Band will give their fifth open-air concert next Wednesday evening.

PROGRAMME.  
1. March, Capt. Stevenson. Reeves.  
2. Selections from the Opera of William Tell. Cavalieri.  
3. Fantasia Sonambula. Cavalieri.  
(Clarinet Solo by M. J. Brauer.)  
4. Waltzes. Gungl.  
5. Songs from Lulline. Walden.  
6. March, Front Section. Reeves.  
7. Overture, La Columba. Bieger.  
8. Swedish Wedding March. Soderman.  
9. Medley, Comic. E. N. Catlin.  
10. Finale. T. H. MARRINAN, Director.

—At a regular meeting of the School Committee held on Tuesday evening, the following teachers were appointed: High School, Miss E. Mariah Blodgett of Waltham, Mass., in place of Miss Sarah J. Kelley resigned. Rumford Grammar, Miss Minnie H. Pierce of Cuba, N. Y. Union St. Grammar, Miss Annie T. Holland of Winchester, Mass. Lawrence Primary, Miss Florence E. Barrett. Cambridge St., Miss Laura F. Armistead of Sangus, Mass. Miss Josie A. Randall was transferred to Union St. Primary in place of Miss Dimmock, resigned. Miss Dora T. Fuller was admitted as teacher in the Primary schools. Adjourned for one week.

—We are not captious, and don't like to appear so, in fact there's nobody hardly that it is easier to keep good natured than the JOURNAL. But the line must be drawn somewhere, and we draw it on No. 12 of the "Board of Health Regulations," issued by Woburn's Board a few days since, which says: "No owner or occupant of any dwelling house in the town of Woburn shall keep, or permit to be kept, any fowl, swine, goats, or other animals, in any room or cellar of said dwelling." Which takes in the cat and dog, else the JOURNAL don't know law when it sees it. Poor Bosc and Tabby! In our humble judgment the health officers of Woburn are getting more particular than there is any call for.

Liberia, Mocha, Maleberry, Old  
Government Java and Rio  
COFFEES

AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—Mr. A. Cummings makes an important announcement in our advertising columns.

—Mr. John E. Tidd is taking his out in fishing down to Ipswich Bay. He'll have fun.

—Yesterday afternoon an artist was discovered photographing Mr. Weyer's market on Main street.

—Mr. A. M. Smith has a plenty of the genuine Vermont gold-leaf butter, and fresh eggs till you can't rest.

—The sample of Dog days thus far furnished has been the genuine article. It is exceedingly disagreeable weather.

—Alfred Willoughby's house in Jones' Court was struck by lightning on Monday night, but little damage was done.

—At last accounts the McGonagles and the insurance companies were unable to come to terms on their loss by the Whiteher block fire.

—Capt. W. H. Matthews of Post 33, Woburn, was chosen secretary for the year at the G. A. R. convention held at Lowell on Wednesday.

—Shandley, who was so seriously injured by the town team last week, now in the Mass. Gen. Hos., is doing well, and will not lose his foot.

—Settlements have been made by the insurance companies on the Whiteher block losses as follows: building, \$925; Strout, \$80; Merriam, \$50.

—Money is being raised to defray the expenses of a couple of Band concerts at the Highlands—one by each of the Woburn Bands. Good idea.

—Mr. J. Howard Nason and several other Woburn men belong to the Maine Veteran Association and will attend, with their comrades in Boston and elsewhere, the reunion at Portland on August 23.

—In our Winchester column is printed an address to the people of Winchester which has the ring of "business" to it. Stalwarts have the business of drying up the town traffic down there in hand, and they have gone in to win. Success to their efforts.

—The thunder storm that passed over this place Monday night seriously affected the fire alarm. Lightning entered on a wire connected with a tinker in James Newcomb's house and destroyed the magnet, throwing the whole arrangement out of gear. It has been repaired.

—For a guess we should say that the population of this town had increased from the census-taking of 1880 to that of 1881 about 400, which gives us a total of nearly 11,500. At that pace of increase we shall soon be in a condition to demand of the Legislature a city charter.

—Mr. H. E. Strout, our popular photographer, is making a good many handsome pictures these days, and so numerous are his orders that he will be obliged to forego the comfort of a vacation this summer. Mr. Strout keeps square up with all the improvements of the times, and no better work than his is done in Boston.

—C. M. Munroe starts out on his vacation next week. Mr. Davis, Superintendent of Schools, has, or is about to, leave for his summer rambles, in his own conveyance. Our clergymen have made no public announcement of where or how they intend to spend August. School teachers are refreshing themselves preparatory to resuming their tasks in the Autumn—some with seaside breezes, some with mountain zephyrs, and others with good country air and milk. A great many of our people are preparing to throw off work and care, and put out for a season of rest.

—The reign of the Dog Star has as yet had no perceptible influence on business at the Temple of Justice, though it is surmised that as soon as it gets a good square hold His Honor will have more leisure on his hands than at the present time: Willis Carter and Benj. H. Nichols were fined \$10 and costs each for furiously driving a horse along Main street; they appealed; Edward W. Crosby for cruelly driving a horse, the property of Chas. H. Nichols of No. Woburn, last May, \$50 and costs, in default he went down: Thomas Sweeney of Montvale \$3 and costs; paid; Henry Dow and Thomas Packard of Stoneham, drunk, \$1 and costs, Dow went down in default: Martin Connolly, drunk, \$1 and costs.

—The Sunday Globe contained an article on the designs of B. & L. R. R. Company as developed by some surveys being made here by their engineers, by its Woburn reporter, which is worthy of the consideration of our business men. The reporter's idea is that the company propose to run a line from the ice-houses at the foot of Horn Pond via Cummingsville and North Woburn to Wilmington, and thus set up bars to any project which the Fitchburg or Boston and Maine companies may have of utilizing the bed of the M. V. R. R. and giving Woburn a competing line. His theory has a plausible look, and we shouldn't wonder if it was the true one. At any rate, our business men ought to keep a sharp eye out on all their movements. There is surplus money enough within a stone's throw of the Liberty pole on the common to complete the M. V. R. R., and it ought to be laid out in that direction.

CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.—On Wednesday A. H. Fultz, at work at Jones's blacksmith shop had his right leg badly cut, torn and lacerated by a bar of hot iron falling on it. Arthur Dalzell sprained his right ankle very badly. Patrick Mahon had two fingers on his right hand severely crushed by a machine at Simonds's shop on Wednesday. Thomas Walsh, while playing with a scythe, had his right hand cut quite severely. A year-and-a-half old child at North Woburn drank the liquid in soaked paper fly-poison, Wednesday, which would probably have proved fatal had the quantity taken been less. Mr. Lemuel Howard lost the ends of three fingers in a barkmill last Wednesday, and had his hand roughly chewed up, requiring about thirty stitches to get the hand into shape again. John O'Brien at North Woburn was severely injured by running the time of a pitchfork into his knee. It will lay him up for a time.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.  
Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at the Rooms of the Association on Sunday at 4 o'clock, p. m., led by J. Henry Symonds, President of the Association. Regular monthly business meeting at the Rooms on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The Cedar street meetings will be resumed about September 1st.

ERISORAL.—Seventh Sunday after Trinity. At 10.30 a. m. "Love not the world neither the things of the world. If any man love the world the love of the Father is not in him." Sunday School at 12: at 7 p. m. "Honor to age."

CONGREGATIONAL.—Preaching by the Pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Young People's meeting at 6 p. m.; service of praise and lecture by the Pastor at 7 p. m. The usual service on Wednesday evening.

BAPTIST.—Service at 10.30 a. m., and 3 p. m.; Young People's Meeting at 6; and Missionary Concert at 7 o'clock. Covenant Meeting of the church on Thursday evening at 7.45.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching at 10.30 a. m., by Rev. Geo. W. Cooke of West Dedham.

MOISTVALE MISSION CHAPEL.—Rev. J. H. Mason pastor. Preaching Sunday morning at 10.45; Sunday school at 12; prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

CATHOLIC.—Services at St. Charles church, Main street, at the usual hours on Sunday.

ROSE'S  
LIME JUICE.

AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—Four parties are talking around about securing the M. V. R. R. property.

—A wheelman that can take a good chunk of a boy on behind and make speed under-stands his business.

—Mr. Carrier's team cut up shindy on Thursday morning, and manifested a disposition to smash things, but did no damage.

—A coal train of eight cars was thrown from the track at West Medford on Wednesday morning, which delayed several trains and the mail to this place.

—Mr. Kenet Champney, son of Mr. Benjamin Champney the artist, returned to his coffee plantation in Guatemala yesterday. He and his partner expect a big coffee crop this year.

Woburn Public Library.

The following pen-picture of the Woburn Public Library, the most beautiful building in Middlesex County, if not in the State, by one enthusiastic admirer aptly styled an "architectural poem," was written by a wheelman over the signature of "Middlesex," and published in the *Bridging World* in January last. It is a faithful description, so far as mere words can go towards portraying the elegance and beauty of this place of work:

In Woburn we find ourselves well repaid by the sight of the public library. It is one of the finest structures in New England, and the genius who created it is Mr. H. H. Richardson of Boston, the architect of Trinity church, and the leader of his profession in America. The Woburn Library is more beautiful than Trinity, for its proportions are perfect and it is not marred by the faulty facade of the latter,—due to the interference of the church committee and to the narrow lot. In the building, the structure resembles Trinity, in its polychromatic effects of light and dark brown, (Ohio sandstone) and it has a tile covered roof of rich red. The situation is fine: a large open lot with plenty of breathing space, and a back ground of rugged, rocky hills. As in the Harvard Memorial Hall, the cathedral form has been used and freely adapted to secular use. At the chancel end is a semi-detached part, octagonal, and something like a baptistery in looks. The main structure is massively and finely planned. A symmetrical tower rises from the front of the transept with a cloistered porch at the base. A belt of rich carving runs the cornice. Let no one fail to survey it from all sides. One of the best views is from the north-east corner, where the tower recedes grandly from the bold massing of the lower portion. The groups in glory, as harmony, affecting the eye as a grand choral does the ear. Hearing a noise within, we ventured to the basement door, and were admitted by the janitor, who kindly showed us over the building. In the basement an antique colonial kitchen, with genuine old furniture, has been fitted up, making a fine local historical museum. The interior of the main portion is as artistic as the exterior. Behind the entrance lobby one is ushered into a fine gallery, with open timbered roof, hung with paintings. On the right another rotunda-like gallery occupies the "baptistery," and on the left, occupying the transept, is a noble reading-room highly walled and decorated in perfect synchrony of subdued tones. At the north end is a beautiful stone arched recess, with a grand open fireplace. From the reading room is an impressive vista down the left nave of the library proper, the columns supporting the circular arched ceiling of rich-hued native wood. Between the columns are the lower portions of the columns. Every detail is in exquisite keeping with the architecture of the whole, and in the reading room is some fine carved stone work. The library is a beautiful stone arched recess, with a grand open fireplace. From the reading room is an impressive vista down the left nave of the library proper, the columns supporting the circular arched ceiling of rich-hued native wood. Between the columns are the lower portions of the columns. 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## WINCHESTER.

The new Baptist pastor will take up his work here early next month.

Mr. Josiah Hovey's drug clerk has skipped out for fresh fields and pastures new.

Mud-pumping for the dam at South Meadow calls thereat "lots" of people.

Last Saturday Mrs. Moyhahan had her pocket picked on Tremont street, Boston, of \$20.

Business has been rather quiet in Judge Littlefield's court this week. Calm always follows a storm.

Rev. B. F. McDaniels will preach in the Unitarian church next Sunday. The church will be closed during August.

The sub-committee of the Board elected a High School teacher on Wednesday evening in the person of a graduate of Smith College.

I hear, now and then, an uncomplimentary remark bestowed on the Mystic water. I am not aware that Mystic water has killed anybody yet—it isn't near so fatal as "Medford rum."

Mr. C. E. Swett, Principal of the Grammar School, and his boys have returned from their White Mountains trip. They had a good time, and rather admired things on Mt. Washington.

A proposed change in season tickets between Winchester and Boston by the B. & L. Company whereby single per diem trips only are to be permitted has excited some unfavorable comment.

The temperance people run the rum-sellers to hole last week, some of whom tried to pull the hole in after them. There is a determination to see the thing clean through to the end, and suppress the traffic in intoxicating drinks.

Considerable interest is felt in the whereabouts of Mr. Arthur Thynge, of the firm of Thynge Brothers, who left for Boston on Monday and has not since been heard from. Deputy Sheriff Collamore of Woburn has had the store in charge this week. There are suspicions of crookedness.

A meeting of the Maine Veteran Association was held at 27 Sudbury street, Boston, on Monday evening, and voted to go to Portland on August 23. Mr. S. C. Small, member of the firm of Shaw, Appin & Co., 27 Sudbury street, is President of the Association, and will attend with the "boys," and have a good time.

It is suspected that no more Boston "spotters" will be brought out here to manufacture evidence against the rum-sellers. It is attended with too much excitement and hard feelings. "Spies and informers" have never been held in high repute by anybody in any country or age. Every legitimate means should be resorted to to stop the sale of rum; but the employment of spotters hardly falls within the meaning of the word.

TO THE CITIZENS OF WINCHESTER.—As a committee on "Law and Order," recently created by the Reform Club, we wish it distinctly understood that we stand in a representative capacity. The club members among its past and present members over four hundred citizens of the town, and has upon its rolls now over one hundred and fifty of our most prominent townsmen, including all the Protestant clergymen, and the names signify the first object of the Club—that is to reform men from the habit of indulging in intoxicating liquors. The second duty is to instill the principles of total abstinence into the minds of the young; and the third act is to enforce the law against tipping shops, thereby removing the temptation. It has been manifest to all that *rum selling* has been on the increase and that drunkenness has followed in the same ratio. A careful study has led to the conclusion that the appropriation (\$7500) and two policemen cannot stop the illegal sale as carried on in the *kitchen rum shops* in certain localities of our town. Violations of this kind can only be successfully detected by the agency of some unknown person or persons employed for this purpose. We have employed such a person from a responsible detective agency in Boston, and have secured evidence against four parties. One of whom has been brought to trial—one has acknowledged the sale—one has left town—and the fourth will be dealt with as a *liquor nuisance*, if the second sale is detected. We ask all good citizens to cooperate with us and help put a stop to this traffic, which is a curse to our beautiful town. The committee wish it distinctly understood that this is not a spasmodic movement. The warfare is to be kept up as long as work is needed. Not only will the *liquor law* be enforced, but the Sunday laws are to be put in operation also. Apothecaries will not be allowed to keep their stores open for mercenary motives. Loafing will not be permitted in the public squares or upon our streets on Sundays. Any one seen at two different times on the Sabbath sitting upon the steps or upon the platforms of stores will be complained of and fined to the full extent of the law. Profanity upon our streets will not be tolerated upon any day of the week. The first offence will be complained of. The recent experience in the perjury cases show the evil influences and tendencies of this loafing and congregating of boys and young men on Sundays and all other days. Low, coarse talk, vulgarity and profanity are the natural outgrowth, followed by nightly carousals and beer drinking. One young man who came to Winchester within a year with good habits, drifted into this company and influenced by the rum-seller and his companions committed perjury to clear himself and them. This shows the corrupting influences of the whole rum business. No habitual drinker nor seller can be depended upon to tell the truth under oath. We have law enough left us put it in force. Let us enforce it. Let us return to the old Puritan principles. All that our country can boast of today sprang from these principles. It is for the interest of all good citizens and our town that crime should cease. The temptations should be removed from our midst. *Good boys will grow up good men.* To this end we invite the laboring cooperation of all.

Signed,  
S. E. SMALL, ) Committee  
A. E. HOWE, )  
SEYMOUR HARRINGTON, ) Law & Ord.

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This most remarkable and steady increase, shows at once the uniform excellence of the Flour. The Millers are among the largest and best in the country. They were almost the first to adopt the PATENT CORRUGATED ROLLER, the advantages of which we really appreciated and have now conclusively demonstrated to the consumer. Our experience of the past year justifies us in warranting

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AGENTS FOR WOBURN.

### INTERESTING ITEMS.

There is a good deal of human nature in a canary bird. He always begins to chatter as soon as the piano begins to play.

I have always paid rent for a house to live in. This year I have half paid for a cottage, with money which, before I used Sulphur Bitters in my family was paid to the doctor and the druggist. They cured my wife of Female Weakness. — *Mechanic, Salem.*

They were speaking of a miser, just deceased. "Did he leave anything?" asked Smith. "He had to," was the laconic answer of Fogg.

Nearly all the ills that afflict mankind can be prevented and cured by keeping the stomach, liver and kidneys in perfect working order. There is no medicine known that will do this as quickly and surely, without interfering with your duties, as Parker's Ginger Tonic. See ad.

At Quebec, recently, a woman hanged herself with a strip of false hair, and died the victim of a misplaced switch.

She is going to try it. A correspondent writes from way down East, in Lubec, Me., to Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.: "I called on you about six weeks ago, and with Billious disease. I bought a bottle of 'Favorite Remedy' and it cured me. What I want is some more of your medicine. My daughter is going to try it." Sensible man. He will not regret it, and when his daughter has tried it she will be satisfied too. "Favorite Remedy" is just the thing for the ills that afflict womankind."

A little girl asked her mother what made her hair so gray. "It's because you are so naughty," her mother said. "What a naughty girl you must have been, ma—grandma's hair is white!"

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The Woonsocket Reporter inquires: "Who says it is unhealthy to sleep in feathers? Look at the spring chicken, and see how tough he is."

The cure of Aaron Jacobs, of Lowell, of Sciatic Rheumatism by three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla is a wonder every Rheumatic should hear of.

### WALNUT HILL.

On Friday of last week some 1500 people went on the fishing trip of the "Empire State" to the Middle Banks, where all who were lucky enough to secure a line tried for the "big one," for which a bounty of \$1 per pound is offered by the management. The big one weighed 14½ lbs. Cod weighing 31½ and 44 lbs. have been caught from the deck of the Empire State, which runs these excursions weekly, also to the Isles of Shoals, Provincetown, North Shore and Ipswich Bay. The Empire State Band gives two concerts and furnishes music for dancing. The management of this boat is simply perfect.

fect. Capt. Phillips, the commander, keeps his eye upon his huge craft and insists that perfect order shall be observed. "Order is heaven's first law," says the Captain, and he means it. Anyone contemplating going on an excursion could spend a day no more pleasantly than on this palatial steamer.

The Mass. Rifle Ass'n held their regular meet at their grounds Saturday, with the following result:

Sharpshooters Match—A. C. Adams, 110; O. M. Jewell, C. C. Carson, 100; C. H. Hildreth, C. A. Bent, 106; B. D. Emerson, 103.

Handicap Match—G. Warren, 46; John Borden, C. A. Bent, 44; B. A. Curtis, 43; B. D. Emerson, 42.

Badge Match, No. 4—A. C. Adams, 48; C. A. Bent, 47; B. A. Curtis, 46.

The regular Long Range Match will be continued next Wednesday.

The regular long range match, 800, 900, 1000 yards was continued Wednesday with the following result: F. A. Rathbott, 219; C. H. Gregory, 218; H. Taylor, 215; J. F. Scott, 204; W. Howard, 193.

The Walnut Hill Association went to the Pavilion, Revere Beach, Tuesday. Considering the weather conditions they had a good time.

CLYDE.

### Important to Travelers.

Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue.

He was found of singing revival hymns, and his wife named their baby Fort, so that he should want to hold it.

Extreme Tired Feeling.—A lady tells us "the first bottle has done my daughter a great deal of good, her food does not distress her now, nor does she suffer from that extreme tired feeling which she did before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla."

A second bottle effected a cure. No other preparation contains such a concentration of vitalizing, enriching, purifying and invigorating properties as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

### COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

In the case of Henry Young, Jr., of Woburn, in said County, insolvent debtor. Notice is hereby given that Frank V. Wright has been appointed assignee in said case. The second meeting of the creditors of said insolvent debtor will be held at the Court of Insolvency, at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at which time and place creditors may be present and prove their claims.

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FRANK V. WRIGHT, Assignee.

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AGENTS! AGENTS! AGENTS!  
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HIS CHOSEN HOME AND HEAD-QUARTERS IS A THE WELL-KNOWN INSTRUMENT STORE OF

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Josing aside, Cornets are more and more popular every year, and excellent things to add the singing of Congregations, of Churches, of Sunday Schools and of Day Schools. With a full assortment of all Band and Orchestral Instruments, of Drums and all the smaller or Toy Instruments, of Stringed, Trimmings, and all Musical Merchandise, they are for sale at the above store.

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On and after June 15 the Steamship ADMIRAL will leave Atlantic Company's Wharf, Gloucester, for Boston, at 6:45 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on return from Boston, at 10 A. M. and 5 P. M. daily. The "Admiral" is an ocean steamer, and until recently carried the mails between Pensacola, Key West and Havana, and was selected and used by the Government to convey General Grant and party to the Pavilion, Revere Beach, Tuesday. Consider the weather conditions they had a good time.

CLYDE.

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### Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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### PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, Next-of-Kin, and all other persons interested in the Estate of Mary Carter, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

YOU are hereby notified that a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Woburn Journal, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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## The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5, 1881.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 195 Main Street, R. Robie, 156 Main Street, E. F. Cutter, Cummingsville, J. P. Tyler, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

## GETTING WELL.

The doctors report that the President has not yet advanced far enough on the road to complete recovery to allow of his taking a square meal, but he manages to get himself outside of a pretty generous amount of rations every day, and sleeps every night like a child. He is regarded by the best medical authorities as out of danger, or about out, and it is believed his progress to perfect health will be rapid and perfectly satisfactory to all concerned not excepting the President himself. The doctors expect to be able to move him from his present quarters in a few days to some point where the struggle with malarial influences will be less, and where the patient will have a better chance. It is said that he signs some public papers almost daily, and will soon be able to resume entire control of the helm of State. All of which is most excellent news.

Our esteemed friend and brother in bonds, Mr. Editor Parker of the *Arlington Advocate*, called on us last Wednesday for a serious ecclesiastical conference, to which we were agreeable. He was brimful of ecclesiastical lore pertinent to the issue between himself and the Woburn Baptist Church, and after he had expounded matters about the subject for about an hour, we must confess to a mental condition totally unfit for a calm and judicious examination of the question under consideration. Briefly, we found ourselves so tangled and twisted up, so to speak, and sweaty with intellectual fog that for a time we were unable to determine with any degree of satisfaction which end we were on, and self-identification in a crowd was something that no person in our deplorable condition would seriously contemplate for a moment.

A Biddleford "crank" suggests that Judge Kimball of that city be tendered the vacant seat on the supreme bench. Next.—*Boston Post*.

An admirable suggestion! Judge Kimball is a gentleman of sobriety of manners and learned in the law, and if he could be prevailed upon to abandon his brickyard and leave off "cranking" the Greenbackers he would make an ornament to the bench.

Dr. Bliss says the application of Bell's electric instrument on last Monday fully confirmed his theories respecting the location of the ball in the President's body. As Dr. Bliss has located the ball, at one time and another, pretty nearly all over the patient it would be somewhat surprising if the instrument of Prof. Bell failed to confirm some one of his guesses.

If the say-so of the Stoneham News is entitled to credit, it would do the publishers of the Stoneham Independent no harm to attend a woman's school a few terms. They are very illiterate people, according to the authority quoted.

Gen. Smith, Collector of the Port Bangor, has presented a remonstrance by the citizens of Maine against his removal, twenty-five feet long. This ought to settle the controversy in favor of Mr. Davis, if anything can.

Secretary Blaine says there are to be no stalwarts, nor half-breeds in the Republican party hereafter. On the other hand, everything is to be harmonious and lovely, now that Conkling is shelved.

Unfavorable reports come from the West in regard to crops. A severe and protracted drouth has done great injury to corn, rye, and other agricultural productions.

Uncle Sam is making excellent progress in paying what he owes. Last month the public debt was reduced over \$10,000,000, which is a pretty good showing.

## LOCAL NEWS.

"Assassinations," by Rev. Mr. Winckley will appear next week.

A great reduction in the price of straw hats has been made at Hammond's.

The flag-pole on the Central House casts towards Sawyer's several degrees, or more.

Mr. H. F. Smith is selling the very best teas in the market for fifty cents per pound.

The Gratian L. A. boys with their sweethearts expect a great time today at their annual picnic.

Messrs. Smith & Son have added a carpet department to their already large business, and will sell at Boston prices.

The advertisement of the Bryant & Stratton Commercial School will interest all those who are seeking a thorough business education.

Hon. Solon Kendall, President of the Illinois Reform School Board, and wife were in town last week visiting friends, who were delighted to see them.

The soul that is not charmed with the music of the corporation stone-cruiser is not tuned to appreciate the beautiful in song, but is "fit for treason, stratagem," etc.

The Secretary, Mr. A. R. Lincoln, has called a special meeting of the Woburn Historical Association to be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the Selectmen's rooms.

Mr. Sparrow Horton, of the Woburn Book Store, returned last Saturday evening from a vacation visit to Falmouth Heights, Martha's Vineyard. He had a fine time and came back refreshed.

The family of Mr. Joseph B. McDonald are at North Conway for the heated term, while the head circulates between Woburn and that delightful mountain retreat at his own sweet will, spending a large share of his time at the latter place.

## FORMOSA, OOLONG AND JAPAN

## TEAS

AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—Rev. George H. Young, pastor of the Unitarian church of this town, is to be married on the 17th of this month in the Unitarian church at Dedham. Cards of invitation are already out.

—The Board of Selectmen and officers about the building seem to enjoy the new fixing up of their rooms hugely. They are very nice, and most anybody ought to take comfort in them.

—W. H. S. Class '81 are getting a good ready for a trip to Nantasket next Wednesday. It is expected that all the members will fall in, for an exceedingly refreshing season is anticipated.

—There threatens to be a pretty big exodus of Woburn comfort-seeking people next week. Some of them go to see what the wild waves are saying, some to the mountains, and all to find cool retreats.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held last Tuesday. Heat and things operated against the accomplishment of a vast amount of bone labor. The monthly bills were passed upon.

—Assistant Superintendent Miller of the B. & N. R. Co., was out here last Friday testing the employees of the road for color blindness. Twenty were submitted to the test, all of whom passed muster except two.

—Mr. Francis, the faithful and efficient janitor at the Public Library, deserves a good mention for the excellent condition in which he preserves the grounds surrounding the building. The work keeps him constantly employed, but everything is just as neat as a pin, and would in a clear day shine like a new dollar.

—The National Band, which is doing things up brown this season, gave an excellent open-air concert to a large audience at the Highlands on Tuesday evening. The band-stand is erected on the corner of Prospect and Fowle streets, and will be occupied frequently during the summer.

—The School Committee held an adjourned meeting on Tuesday evening. Miss Gertrude Tabor was appointed Assistant teacher in the Cedar St. School, Miss Annie F. Richardson, resigned. Mr. Charles Munn, appointed janitor in the Cummings and Lawrence Schools. Mr. S. H. Patten, appointed janitor for the High and Plympton St. Schools.

—The work of macadamizing Main St. goes bravely on. The reporter of the *Globe* says it is doubted if the town authorities permit Mr. Carter to replace the present rails of his street car track, which is a theme entirely too heavy for the *JOURNAL* to tackle with the mercury coquetting unpleasantly near the 100 mark on the thermometer. We'll take a hand after dog-days.

—Mr. H. E. Strout recently executed a fine portrait of Mrs. Emily Kimball, who, at her death, left a handsome sum of money to the First Congregational Church, which was secured by friends and caused to be duly hung in the church parlors last Wednesday morning. It was a very considerable and proper thing to do, for thereby the memory of the estimable lady will be helped to be kept green. The picture was done in Mr. Strout's very best style, and, of course, an admirable one.

—We regret to learn that Joseph G. Pollard, Esq., has made business arrangements in Stoneham which will compel his living in that beautiful burg. Mr. Pollard is one of the honored citizens of Woburn, esteemed by everybody, and the readers of the *JOURNAL* will read this item of his leaving-taking with regret. It is needless to say to Stoneham people that a good man is about to settle down among them in the person of Mr. Pollard, and that Woburn is not entirely satisfied with the arrangement by which she loses one of her very best citizens.

—The following are Vennor's weather predictions for the month of August: 1st, warm and oppressive; 2d, pleasant; 3d, fairly warm; 4th and 5th, cool to cold, with fall like evenings and nights; 6th, fair and pleasant; 7th, heat and storms; 8th, 9th, and 10th, sultry weather, with heavy showers, cooler evenings and nights; 11th, 12th, and 13th, heat again in the United States, cloudy and sultry weather, with storms in Canada; 14th, cooler; 15th, cooler to cold, cloudy and pleasant; 16th, storms through portions of Virginia; 17th and 18, hail storms and frosts probably in some sections; 19th and 20th, heat and storms; 21st, sultry and showery; 22nd, sultry and windy; 23d and 24th, heat and wind; 25th and 26th, heavy storms on the lakes, the St. Lawrence and around New York; 27th 28th and 29th, cooler weather, with rains and frosts, in northern sections; 30th and 31st, fair and pleasant, with cool evenings and nights, with indications of returning heat.

—Crystal Fount Lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F., Woburn, was chartered and began business in 1842; many years later it was reorganized retaining the original number and charter. From the former it will be seen that it is among the oldest Lodges in the Commonwealth, as it is to-day one of the most flourishing ones. The Lodge numbers more than one hundred members; has several hundred dollars in the treasury, and dispenses generous sums yearly towards maintaining the cardinal principles of the Order. The rooms of Crystal Fount Lodge are located in the third story of Kelley's block on Main St. and consists of a Lodge room, two ante-rooms, bath-rooms, closets &c., all handsomely arranged, and very comfortable. A few years ago they were fitted up at a cost of \$1,700, and it is doubted if any Lodge anywhere has finer quarters. The Lodge room is elegantly furnished with costly carpets and rugs, massive chairs, luxurious draperies, handsome settees richly upholstered, a large chandelier with twelve gas jets, and globe burners at the desks of the officers, while the walls are hung with charts, pictures, and emblems, and the ceilings beautifully frescoed. Crystal Fount Lodge has a right to be proud of its very handsome rooms, and all that pertains thereto. It meets every Monday evening. Mr. Alexander Murdock is the present Noble Grand.

## Liberia, Mocha, Maleberry, Old

## COFFEES

AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—Yesterday was the hottest of the season, but today promises to equal it.

—A son of Mr. Peter McGoff fell from the roof of a building last Friday and broke both bones of his left arm.

—The family of Mr. John C. Buck are at The Intervale, North Conway, to which point he will repair at an early day.

—Woburn Division S. of T. enjoyed their picnic last Wednesday at Maolis Gardens, Nahant. "And thus go we on."

—Mr. Marc. Littlefield, the *Herald* reporter, has returned from a week's visit to New York, and everything is lovely again.

—Mr. Charles H. Buss has sent his family to The Intervale, North Conway, the painter's paradise, and will soon go there himself.

—Mr. Davis, Superintendent of schools, is to have a good office. For his use and behoof a room has been fitted up in the Central Grammar School.

—John I. Munroe, Esq., wife and daughter are idling away their time and enjoying dead loads of comfort at the Kearsarge House, Warner, N. H.

—Venner has done only just from fair to middling on the weather this week. Some days he has hit to a dot, and some he has missed by several sled-lengths.

—Mr. Charles Munn's family, with their visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Fowle, and children, of New York, are cooling off and having a good time at Marblehead Neck.

—Mr. Walter S. Cushing starts for Old Orchard on the 15th, having selected that fashionable and beautiful resort whereto to while away a week or two of dog-days.

—Mr. Charles M. Munroe, proprietor of "The Woburn Clothing Store," starts next Monday for Martha's Vineyard, where he will spend his vacation in ease and comfort.

—Stone's field on Cross street is to be the scene next Saturday afternoon of a baseball game between the hands in J. P. Crane & Co's, and E. L. Shaw & Co's currying shops.

—Mr. Frank B. French, a late teacher in the Plympton street school, a man of education and merit as an educator, has been elected Principal of the Second Grammar School at Wakefield.

—We call attention to the advertisement of Mr. Burgess in this paper, and at the same time recommend his stock as an excellent one to select from. It is also generally understood that Mr. Burgess sells goods at the lowest prices, and never fails to give entire satisfaction to his customers.

—Mr. Frederic A. Flint, of Gage & Co., and Mr. Joseph R. Green, cashier of the First National Bank, propose to start to-day for a flying trip to Chicago. They will return some time next week, when Mr. Flint will repair to Camden, Maine, and take the balance of it out in sea breezes. We trust these worthy gentlemen will have a pleasant trip to the West.

—P. S. On account of the heat the Chicago trip has been abandoned, and both gentlemen will try Penobscot Bay.

—There was the biggest kind of a crowd to enjoy the out-of-door concert of the Woburn Brass Band given on Woburn Common, on last Wednesday evening. There were huge rafts of ladies and gentlemen from neighboring villages and country-sides, and the number of nobly turnouts exceeded any former concert. These fine musical entertainments are getting to be a feature with other people than dwellers in Woburn, and we are real glad of it. The concert was A. 1, with some special features that delighted the crowd, notably the clarinet solo by A. J. Brauer.

—The National Band will give their next concert Wednesday evening, Aug. 10, 1881.

PROGRAMME.  
1. March. Hoare from Camp. Catlin.  
2. Selection. Princess of Tebezonide. Offenbach.  
3. Cornet Solo. Air Valse. Read.  
4. Selection. Moonlight Melody. Wadsworth.  
5. Waltz. Concert. Zilkoff.  
6. Tuba Solo. Cornet Polka. Graff.  
7. Overture. Martha. By M. Collins.  
8. March. Silver Trumpets. Fletow.  
9. Medley. Comic. Siquel.  
10. Finale. "Last Idea." Noyes.  
P. CALNAN, Jr., Director.

—A few evenings since Mr. Harriman of Lawrence, Supreme Governor, and Mr. Sprague of Haverhill, Deputy Supreme Governor, United Order of Pilgrim Fathers, installed the newly elected officers of Brewster Colony, No. 19, of Woburn, with due ceremonies. This is a young Order, originated for the mutual protection and benefit of its members, and is chiefly confined, as yet, to New England. It is however increasing very rapidly and will soon spread and establish Colonies all over the country. The membership numbers at present about 2000, mostly in Massachusetts, but new Lodges are being organized every week, and the fame of the institution is increasing. Its portals are open to both sexes, and both take advantage of its mutual benefit principles and enter. Mr. Dickerson of Mr. Wyer's market will furnish information respecting the order.

—A certain Woburn gentleman, worse name, out of sympathy for his family, is withheld from the public, a few evenings since, on discovering a fire, hastily repaired to box 12, opened it, and yelled "fire!" That not having the desired effect, he beat himself to yell in the order in which the bell strikes the number, so thrusting his head into the box he screamed at the top of his voice in this way: "fire—fire, fire." Then he stopped and listened. Hearing no response, in went his head again, and again he vociferated: "fire—fire, fire." This was repeated several times, without results and the gentleman seemed to be getting demoralized. Again he put his head into the box, yelled, "fire—fire, fire," withdrew his head and listened for the bell. Of course there was no response, and with, "why in Gehenna don't that—ed bell ring," the gentleman left the scene of his defeat as disgusted an individual as the Centre has seen for a month. We have this story from the lips of one of the most truthful members of the Police force.

## LIME JUICE.

A delicious drink for the Summer months.

AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—The Woburn Branch of the Irish Land League, a growing and prosperous organization, will hold a picnic in Hiawatha Grove on Saturday, August 13. Addresses will be delivered by Hon. Patrick Collins, of Boston, Peter McCorry, Esq., of Lawrence, and others. Excellent music will be furnished, and everything nice to eat, with lemonade, will be on the grounds. It will be a pleasant gathering, we make no doubt.

—The beautiful residence, groves and grounds of E. W. Hudson, Esq., on Canal street, were once the Horn Pond House and surroundings, a famous summer resort for the elite of Boston and vicinity, and a rival of Fresh Pond, then in its glory. Prior to about 1842 no place near the Hub could boast of such a patronage as the Horn Pond enjoyed, for it was a lovely spot, and the proprietor spared no pains to please and gratify his guests. The view from the hotel was a charming one, as it now is from Mr. Hudson's house. Edward Everett once said when standing on the wide, breezy porch of the Horn Pond House: "in all my travels in this and foreign countries I have never seen but one spot that equals this in beauty, and that was Lake Como in Italy."

Nearly opposite the house is an island in the pond, which in those days was covered with a grove of native trees free from underbrush, smooth greenward, and fitted up for picnics and other festive affairs. The pond lay like a great mirror in the laps of rock-ribbed and wood-capped hills; peaceful pastures bordered the coves, and fair meadows stretched away here and there from its inclosed shores.

Its bosom was covered with craft—sail boats, canoes, and almost any summer day, and especially on moonlight summer evenings, could be seen gliding over the blue waters of the beautiful pond. These craft were more generally laden with ladies and gentlemen from Boston, but the young of neighboring towns had their sport here too. It was a charming and very popular retreat from the heat and dust of the city, and might always have remained a favorite spot with the public. But the Horn Pond House fell upon bad times, and into evil hands. It was sold to a new land lord under whose management the prestige of the place began to wane; respectable people soon came to shun it; the character of its guests depreciated; and after a few years it was known throughout the country as one of the worst gambling places and most vile resorts in the suburbs of Boston. Cock-fighting was a specialty: drinking and carousing were a nightly spectacle; all decent people shunned the Horn Pond House as a poison-house. As might be expected, the good, moral people of Woburn Centre were greatly shocked and exercised over the carryings-on at this resort for gamblers, drinkers, rascals, and bad men and women. There was a good deal of talk about suppressing it, but still the nuisance remained. On the evening of February 1844, a temperance meeting was being held in the vestry of the old Baptist Church at the Centre, for there were good temperance people in Woburn thirty-seven years ago, as there are today. The Horn Pond House and its sins were under discussion, when it was announced by some one that cockfighting was then going on in that disreputable place. This was enough to arouse the meeting to prompt measures for carrying out what had long been contemplated—the suppression of the nuisance. It was voted to proceed at once against the establishment, break up the main, and seize the men engaged in the cruel business. Immediately a complaint was made and A. H. Nelson, Esq., a prominent lawyer here, afterwards District Attorney and Judge of the Superior Court, wrote it out and drafted the warrant, when the document was placed in the hands of Deputy Sheriff William T. Choate, brother of our esteemed citizen, Charles Choate, Esq., for execution. The Deputy selected a posse to accompany him to the Horn Pond House and aid him in breaking up the main, securing the chickens, and arresting the participants. The posse consisted of G. R. Gage, Oliver Bacon, Luke Fowle, Nehemiah Littlefield, William W. Gage, Edward Sigmonds, Dwight F. Eager, Capt. John Carver, Deacon Thomas Richardson, and Frederick Flint, and perhaps some others. Armed with legal authority between 10 and 11 o'clock at night, the officer and men proceeded, in a furious snow storm, to the Horn Pond House. Arriving there, a squad was stationed at each of the entrances to the house to prevent escape, and with three or four aids sheriff Choate went in. He found business at its height. Scores of men were seated around the pit in which the gamblers kind of game cocks were murdering each other, and so interested were the brutal spectators that they gave no heed to the entrance of the officer and his men. But they were not long in discovering the lay of the land, and when it was discovered there was a stampede for the doors and windows by the gamblers which has no parallel in the recorded history of the house. The most of them escaped, but some were arrested, and ten cocks were captured. While this was going on the upper rooms of the house were hurriedly emptied of scores of gamblers, who stood not on the order of their going, but went. Officer Choate and aids took their prizes back to the vestry of the meeting house, where a trial was had which lasted until five o'clock in the morning, the result of which was, the men were bound over, and the cocks condemned to death. The cocks were accordingly killed. The owners however, brought suit against the officers for their value, and after going through several courts, they recovered judgment for \$7. apiece for the ten birds, which was paid. This was a death stroke to the Horn Pond House, for it was not much longer continued as a public hostelry. The property was afterwards sold to Capt. Stergis, a rich citizen of Boston, and finally came into the hands of Mr. Hudson, who has one of the most delightful homes in the State. His fine residence has a commanding view of the beautiful pond: groves, and handsome lawns surround it; all of which the possessor has a taste to appreciate and enjoy.

## SPICES, C. TARTAR,

BREAD SODA AND EXTRACTS

SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—Mrs. C. Littlefield has returned from Elizabeth City, N. J., where she has been visiting for several months.

—Mr. Eli Cooper does not approve of boys stealing apples from his orchard, and he is right. Only bad boys hook fruit.

—James Skinner, Esq., has got back from his eastern trip, and gives a glowing report of the happiness he enjoyed while away.

—Last Monday evening the reservoir at the corner of Main and Salem streets was pumped out for the first time in several years.

—Mr. Charles M. Strout proposes to take his vacation on the cool and delightful coast of Maine, and that at no distant period of time.

—The Selectmen will give the public some definite information respecting taxation, assessments, etc., in the course of a couple of weeks.

—Mr. B. W. Conant, of the firm of Conant & Fuller, 18 Milk street, Boston, some years ago kept a drug store in the Wade Block, this town.

—Mr. P. E. Bancroft, leader of the Mendonsholm Club, and family start to-day for Lake Cottage, Laconia, New Hampshire, to spend their vacation.

—Dr. G. P. Bartlett and family, and J. F. Ramsdell and family will occupy a cottage at Strawberry Hill, Hull. The Dr. is well calculated to get a good deal of comfort out of such pleasant arrangements.

—On Wednesday evening Mrs. Young, mother of Rev. G. H. Young, pastor of the Unitarian church, fell down stairs and broke her collar bone. A doctor was called, and the unfortunate lady is now doing well.

—Oppressively hot days and cool nights with heavy dews should be a warning to look out for one's health. They are conducive to the complaints of summer, and should be guarded against as much as possible.

—Mr. Fred. A. Hartwell, the popular Main street marketman, with wife and daughters, will start for Chicago early next week. They propose to make quite a visit in the great, growing, bustling metropolis of the West.

—A party of about a dozen, consisting of T. Marvin Parker and family, J. H. Parker and family, Lincoln Emerson and wife, and A. T. Young and family, leave early next week for a tour through Maine, to fetch up by-and-by at the celebrated Rangely Lakes, located away up near the jumping-off place, where they will remain until the fore part of September, when they will return to Woburn. It is a right-down good party of people, and they will make things kind of jolly wherever they pitch tents.

—The ceremony which united Charles D. Adams, Esq., and Miss Sarah Jennie Kelley in the sacred bonds of matrimony was performed at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Joseph Kelley, on Church street, at 11 o'clock on Wednesday morning last. Rev. Dr. March tied the nuptial knot. The wedding was a private one, only a few of the intimate friends of the bride and groom, besides the families of each, being present to witness the interesting ceremonies. The happy pair were the recipients of many choice presents from various sources, accompanied by whole-hearted congratulations, benedictions and blessings. At the conclusion of the hymnals tied the bride party started on a two week's honeymoon trip, to include a sail on the Hudson and a stay at Long Branch, at the close of which they will return to Woburn and settle down to sober life again. Mr. Adams is a young lawyer of fine attainments, with good practice in Boston, and bids fair to secure a high position at the bar. He is a gentleman of exemplary daily walk and conversation, and highly esteemed by our people. Miss Kelley, the bride, is a graduate of Vassar college, and has of late been a successful and highly valued teacher in our High School. She is an amiable and cultured lady. While the *JOURNAL* wishes the happy couple a long life and a merry one, it hopes they will accept its congratulations on the excellent choice of a life partner made by each.

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MONTVILE MISSION CHAPEL.—Rev. J. H. Mason pastor. Preaching Sunday morning at 10:45; Sunday school at 12; prayer meeting at 7 p.m.

CATHOLIC.—Services at St. Charles church Main street, at the usual hours on Sunday.

Extreme Tired Feeling.  
A lady tells us "the first bottle has done my daughter a great deal of good, her food does not distress her now, nor does she suffer from that extreme tired feeling which she did before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. A second bottle effected a cure. No other preparation contains such a concentration of vitalizing, enriching, purifying and invigorating properties as Hood's Sarsaparilla."

Married.  
In Woburn, at the Unitarian Parsonage, July 30, by Rev. George H. Young, Arthur Sisson, of Franklin, N. H., and Mary A. Kenworthy, of Winchester.

In Woburn, Aug. 3, by Rev. Daniel March, Charles D. Adams, Esq., and Miss Sarah Jennie Kelley, all of Woburn.

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Died.  
In Woburn, Aug. 4, after a long and painful illness which he bore with fortitude, Thomas C. Goodkin, for several years superintendent of the No. Woburn chemical works, a member of Christal Fount Lodge of I. O. O. F., Mr. Goodkin's funeral will be on Sunday at 2:30 p.m. with services at the Episcopal Church of which he was a communicant in good standing, and some years ago officer of Trinity Parish this town. His death was calm, peaceful and happy.

In Woburn, July 28, Elizabeth Roach, aged 32 years.

In Woburn, July 30, Henry E. Doherty aged 34.

In Woburn, Aug. 1, Lawrence McMurry, aged 29 years.

In Winchester, Aug. 2, John S. DeLaCruz, aged 60 years.

## English Breakfast, Oolong and Japan

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WOBURN.

—The Highland Hose Co., 5, picknicked at Nantasket Beach yesterday. Notwithstanding the intense heat, the boys had a splendid time of it.

—As we understand it Rev. Mr. Mills proposes to drop the Baptist Centennial question right where he is, conscious that he has demonstrated the correctness of his position.

—The description of our library building in last week's *JOURNAL* was written by Mr. Sylvester Baxter of the Boston Herald who has lately been writing letters to that paper from New Mexico and Arizona.

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## WINCHESTER.

A valuable horse belonging to Mr. Joseph Stone passed in his chips last Monday.

Six per cent. interest will be added to all taxes due and unpaid on and after October 1.

There is considerable building going on here. Mr. Marshall Symmes and Mr. J. F. Dwinel are busy at it.

Heaps of our people have gone and are going away for vacation, recreations and all that sort of pleasant thing.

Frank Vallery, aged 14 years, reported missing, has turned up at his home safe and sound, much to his family's delight.

Mr. W. E. Taylor's new barge "Emperor" to ply between this place and Woburn, is as handsome as a picture, and very nice to ride in.

It is said that Arthur Thyngh, whose crookedness was reported last week, has gone to Texas, that haven and paradise of fleeing debtors and others. A sheriff's keeper still has possession of the store.

John D. Twombly and wife expect to start on Saturday for the White Mountains, via the seacoast, in their own conveyance. They will visit Maine, and have a fine time all round, you may depend, for Mr. Twombly is just the kind of a man to sip all the sweets there are going when he is around.

The School Committee have secured an excellent teacher for First Assistant Principal of the High School in the person of Miss Nellie S. Wetherbee, of Waltham, a graduate of Smith College, Northampton, class 1880. She is a lady of rare educational acquirements, and will no doubt succeed admirably in our High School. The salary is \$700.

The Board of Education, after mature deliberation, have made this order concerning the next school year in this town: It will begin on Monday, September 5th, 1881, and end on Friday, June 30th, 1882, making a year of 40 weeks. The Fall term begins Sept. 5, 1881, and ends Dec. 22, 1881, 16 weeks; Winter term begins Jan. 2, 1882, and ends March 24, 1882, 12 weeks; Spring term begins April 10th, 1882, and ends June 30, 1882, 13 weeks. The days designated and to be observed as school holidays are: Thanksgiving Day with the preceding and following day; Christmas week; Washington's Birthday; from March 27 to April 7, inclusive; Fast Day; Memorial Day, and the 17th of June.

To the Editor of the Woburn Journal:

I saw in the Woburn Journal of July 29, an "Address to the Citizens of Winchester," signed by three names calling themselves a "committee on law and order," claiming to be authorized by "a club numbering over one hundred and fifty of our most prominent townsmen, including all the protestant clergymen." This committee desired to return to the "old puritanic principles," stating that they will not allow apothecaries to trade on the Sabbath for mercenary purposes. Loading, profanity, and sitting on steps, etc. will not be allowed on the Sabbath or week-days, and if they see anybody in any one spot twice they will be spotted—and boasting of what they will do until doomsday. Now I want to just say that I think this whole spirit of prohibition, and suppression of the sale of liquors, is wicked and unscriptural from beginning to end, and that there is not one redeeming quality in the whole thing. It is one mass of bigoted hypocritical mischief, stirred up by Satan to make mankind fight and hate one another. It is no more nor less than a continuation of the same old spirit which has caused all the persecutions and cruelties in past ages "for conscience sake." If I understand the purport and spirit of this address when summed up it means just what it has in times past, that the Catholics shall not worship because some of them believe in transubstantiation of the eucharist. The Methodist shall not worship because some of them believe that it is possible to fall from grace. The Baptists shall not worship because some of them believe that immersion is the only correct baptism. The Orthodox shall not worship because some of them believe that hell is paved with infants skulls, and others believe that they can't fall from grace. The Universalists shall not worship because they believe everybody will be saved. And the Unitarians shall not worship because they believe that Christ was only a man and not God. This spirit will also imprison one man because he wants to eat meat, another because he wants to eat vegetables, another herbs. One shall not be allowed to drink coffee, another tea. While others shall not be allowed to drink wine or cider, or beer, or rum, or whiskey, or anything which they desire to. Now this whole spirit, and this whole thing, to my understanding is contrary to the scriptures in every particular, and is injurious to the cause of Christ, and injurious to the cause and best interest of humanity and temperance, every way. Wine and oil are two words which in the bible represent the two most important things necessary for the sustenance, and comfort of life, in this world, and the use of them is no where condemned in the bible, except when they are abused, or used to excess. The Jews were ordered to pay tithes in oil and wine as the two most important things they could possess. And it is written, a measure of wheat for a penny, and three measures of barley for a penny, and see thou hurt not the oil and the wine.

Now if these prohibitory suppressionists, these forces of law against common sense, will just use a little pure old Medford rum in theirs, just enough to clear away the mystical impurities and discoloration of their vision, they possibly may understand what it is to love their neighbor as themselves, and to live in some measure in the spirit of the golden rule, and do as they wish to be done by; and be in some measure sensible that others have natural rights as well as themselves, which it is wicked for them to trample upon, or in anyway try to take away by force of law. Now Messrs. Committee, please to be lawful and orderly yourselves, and take my word for it, you will do more for the cause of temperance, and the good of Winchester than you can in any other way.

OLD MILL.

EDITORIAL NOTE.

With most of the ideas advanced in the above we disagree in toto, but admit the article to our columns in a spirit of fairness to all parties.

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This most remarkable and steady increase, shows at once the uniform excellence of the flour. The Millers are among the largest and best in the country. They were almost the first to adopt the PATENT CORRUGATED ROLLER, the advantages of which we readily appreciated and have now conclusively demonstrated to the consumer. Our experience of the past year justifies us in warranting

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to be the best and most uniformly satisfactory flour in the market. We challenge a comparison with the record of ANY OTHER FLOUR for the same length of time.

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AGENTS FOR WOBURN.

### INTERESTING ITEMS.

Copeland, Bowser & Co. are enjoying a good summer trade.

One of the rules of a bicycle club reads:

"A horse should never be passed on both sides at once." We suspect that when a bicyclist attempts to pass on both sides of a horse "at once," he is expelled from the club. He would certainly be dismissed from a temperance organization.

Fred Leeds's soda is the thing to cool off with this hot weather.

A definition: Baggage-man—See, also, gehenna, Siva, iconoclast, besom and pestilence. The tormenting fury of summer tourist; a giant with fabulous attributes, who is expected to put two sixty foot trucks into one thirty foot baggage car, and is very much abused if he cannot.

Smith & Son are closing out their summer stock of dress and fancy goods at very low prices.

The publication of weather predictions is of great benefit to the community. It enables the mean man to appear generous by offering to take his wife on a pleasure trip the day he is certain that a heavy rain will postpone the trip.

Munroe's store is the favorite resort of people in search of thin clothing, fine neckwear, and nobly summer hats.

A strange astronomical phenomenon is seen in the fact that when the late father takes down his trunk strap there is liable to be spots on the sun.

Mr. Leonard Thompson carries a very large stock of hardware, farm implements, &c., and sells cheap.

The Fiji Islanders appreciate the medical profession. Their name for a doctor translated, is "death's carpenter."

The cure of Aaron Jacobs, of Lowell, of Sciatic Rheumatism by three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla is a wonder every Rheumatic should hear of.

Chicago uses 60,000,000 gallons of water daily. Half of it is used in making beer the rest in scalding bristles off dead pigs.

Nearly all the ills that afflict mankind can be prevented and cured by keeping the stomach, liver and kidneys in perfect working order. There is no medicine known that will do this as quickly and surely, without interfering with your duties, as Parker's Ginger Tonic. See ad.

Ella Wheeler is out with a new poem "Mamma will not leave her room." It is one of those sad, pensive strains which wrap a young man up in melancholic gloom like a large looking glass tied up in a bed-quilt.

Choice family groceries, dry goods, and almost everything may be found at the popular store of A. E. Thompson.

A man of fact always manages to get out of difficulty. The clerk of a parish, whose business was to read the "first lesson," came across the chapter in David in which the names Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego occur twelve times, and finding it very difficult to pronounce these names, he went through the chapter referring to them as "the aforesaid gentlemen."

I have always paid rent for a house to live in. This year I have half paid for a cottage with money which, before I used Sulphur Bitters in my family was paid to the doctor and the druggist. They cured my wife of Female Weakness. — *Mechanic, Salem.*

They were discoursing on French history, who was "The Plumed Knight," to which the answer was made "Henry IV." The interrogator immediately exclaimed: "What, Navarre?" Then did gloom fall upon that assemblage, and while one man went after the undertaker, the rest proceeded to lay out the corpse.

Fresh vegetables, fruits and choice meats are always to be had at Mr. Weyer's market on Main street.

ITCHING PILLS—SYMPTOMS AND CURE.—

The symptoms and moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching, very distressing, particularly at night, as if pin worms were crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected; if allowed to continue very serious results may follow. — Dr. Swayne's ALL-HEALING OINTMENT is a pleasant sure cure. Also for Tetter, Itch, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Erysipelas, Barber's Itch, Boils, Itch, Scaly, Crusty, Cutaneous Eruptions. Price 50 cents, 3 boxes for \$1.25. Sent by mail to any address on receipt of price in currency, or three cent postage stamps. Prepared only by Dr. Swayne & Son, 330 North Sixth Street, Philadelphia, Pa., to whom letters should be addressed. Sold by all prominent druggists.

She is going to try it. A correspondent writes from way down East, in Lubec, Me., to Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.: "I called on you about six weeks ago, sick with Bilious disease. I bought a bottle of 'Favorite Remedy' and it cured me. What I want is some more of your medicine. My daughter is going to try it." Sensible man. He will not regret it, and when his daughter has tried it she will be satisfied too. "Favorite Remedy" is just the thing for the ills that afflict womankind."

Important to Travelers.

Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue.

What is the Use

of buying worthless medicines, and spending money on quack doctors whose only idea is to gull the public? Is it not better to buy a reliable medicine like Sulphur Bitters? I think so, as they cured me of Catarrh after suffering three years.—J. P. Clark, Manchester.

WALNUT HILL.

Midsommer seems to be a bad time for riflemen to assemble, judging from the slim attendance lately at the Rifle Range. Appended are the best scores:

Massachusetts Match.—O. M. Jewell, 111; A. C. Adams, 110; J. Merrill, 106; B. Anson, 105; C. A. White, 100; A. L. Burt, 99; W. Gardner, 96.

Handicap Match.—A. L. Burt, B. Anson, 46; W. Gardner, 45; C. A. White, 44; C. D. Curtis, 42; F. Carter, 42; C. Sampson, 41.

At Cresskill, N. Y., August 11, a team from the Massachusetts Rifle Association will shoot a return match with a team of the New York Rifle Club.

The Massachusetts Association will shoot a telegraphic match with the Demerara Rifle Club of Georgetown, Demerara, August 27. The conditions call for ten men, military rifles, distances, 200, 500 and 600 yards, English Rules.

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## Spectacles and Eye-Glasses

In all Styles and to suit any sight, at one-half to one-fourth the price usually charged by itinerant peddlers.

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THE MAN WITH THE CORNET IS NOW READY FOR ENGAGEMENTS.

While learning, he kept out in the woods and forests, far from the haunts of men, and was in no danger from wild beasts, since they all fled from the fearful sounds. But now, a fine and delightful player, he is indispensable in concerts, parties, and all musical occasions where instruments are played.

HIS CHOSEN HOME AND HEAD-QUARTERS IS A WELL-KNOWN INSTRUMENT STORE OF

John C. Haynes & Co.,

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(OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE.)

Jealousy aside, Cornets are more and more popular every year, and excellent things to "add the singing of Congregations, of Churches, of Sunday Schools and of all other assemblies. With a full assortment of all Band and Orchestral Instruments, of Drums and all the smaller or Toy Instruments, of Strings, Triangles, and all Musical Merchandise, they are for sale at the above store.

Send for illustrated Catalogue.

WE DO NOT CLAIM

that Hood's Sarsaparilla will cure everything, but the fact that on the purity and vitality of the blood depend the vigor and health of the whole system, and that disease of various kinds is often only the sign that nature is trying to remove the disturbing cause, we are naturally led to the conclusion that a remedy that gives life and vigor to the blood, eradicates scrofula and other impurities from it, as Hood's Sarsaparilla undoubtedly does, must be the means of preventing many diseases that would occur without its use; hence the field of its usefulness is quite an extended one, and we are gratified to find that it is so generally used in all the arrangements of the system which are caused by an unnatural state of the blood.

Why Suffer with Salt-Rheum?

Messrs. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. Gentlemen—I was a great sufferer from Salt-Rheum on my limbs, for a dozen years previous to the summer of 1878, at which time I was cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. The skin would become dry, chapped, crack open, bleed and itch intensely, so that I could not help scratching, which of course made them worse. At the time I commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla (in the summer of 1878) they were so bad that they discharged, and I was obliged to keep them bandaged with linen cloths. The skin was so itchy by the heat of the disease that if I stooped over they would crack open and actually bring tears into my eyes. The first bottle benefited me so much that I continued taking it till I was cured. I used one box of Hood's Olive Ointment, to relieve the itching. Hoping many others may learn the value of Hood's Sarsaparilla and receive as much benefit as I have, I am, Very truly yours, Mrs. S. S. MOODY, No. 75 Broadway, Lowell, Mass., Jan. 15, 1878.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is sold by druggists. Price \$1, or six for \$5. Prepared by C. I. HOOD & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

IN the case of Henry Young, Jr. of Woburn, in said County, insolvent debtor: Notice is hereby given that Frank V. Wright has been appointed assignee in said case.

The second meeting of the creditors of said insolvent debtor will be held at the Court of Insolvency, at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at which time and place creditors may be present and prove their claims.

FRANK V. WRIGHT, Assignee.

TARRANT'S SELTZER APERIENT

"It is only a cold" has sent a thousand to premature graves. A cold stops up the avenues of the system, and disease must result. Neglected, most violent remedies must be used to remove the obstruction. Taken timely, a few doses of TARRANT'S SELTZER APERIENT will carry off naturally the cause of the suffering, and save days, months, even years of suffering.

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We take pleasure in informing our patrons that we have added to our stock a line of

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204 MAIN STREET,

GEO. A. HOBBS, - - Prop.

Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a license from the Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, on Tuesday the thirtieth day of August, A. D. 1881, at four of the clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land with the dwellinghouse thereon standing situated in the northerly part of Winchester, in said County, and bounded as follows, viz:—Commencing at the southeasterly corner of the premises, on the southerly side of Swanton street, the line runs westerly by said Swanton street, thirty feet to a stake; thence southerly by land now or formerly of Joseph House, one hundred and twenty feet to a stake; thence easterly still by land last named, thirty feet to a new street called Cedar street; thence northerly by said Cedar street, one hundred and twenty feet to the point of beginning and containing ten thousand eight hundred square feet, more or less.

Terms at sale: JOHN LYNCH, Executor of Will of Hannah Carroll. N. F. MARBLE, Auctioneer. Winchester, August 6, 1881.

I have also in my office, for the use of the public, Directories of New England, and the cities of New York and Boston; also the A. B. C. Railroad and Steamboat Guide, changed every week, giving the running time of all the railroads in New England. GEO. H. CONN.











## The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12, 1881.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 105 Main Street, R. Hollis, 156 Main Street, E. F. Carter, Corner of Main and North, J. P. Tyler, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

## THE PRESIDENT.

The condition of the President is hopeful—just how hopeful people outside the sick-room are unable to determine. The bulletins of the physicians do not inspire the confidence which, perhaps, they ought. At the moment when everybody supposed the President to be entirely out of danger and a complete and speedy recovery promised, without warning, it is announced that he has been subjected to another surgical operation, and his case becomes critical again. Three weeks ago, when the country was assured that the President was on the high road to restored soundness, the JOURNAL expressed doubts and fears. For this it was scoffed and jeered at. His condition subsequently proved that JOURNAL's fears were well grounded. It feared the knife of the surgeon; it does now: if the President survives, it will be in spite of his attending physicians.

## COMMITTED SUICIDE.

Judge James D. Colt, of the Supreme Court Bench of this State, committed suicide in his private office at his home at Pittsfield, last Tuesday evening. He had been in ill health for some months, which had unsettled his mind and led to self-destruction. He was an able and upright judge.

A movement is on foot for the preservation of the old Cradock mansion in Medford, probably the oldest building ever used for residence purposes in New England. It is an object of great historical interest, and the effort to preserve it, inaugurated by the publisher of the Medford Mercury, and seconded by the liberal citizens of that town, ought to receive the countenance and support of all this part of Middlesex county, at least. It is not best to obliterate such old landmarks, or links that connect the past with the present; they ought to be preserved and kept, and as all have an interest in their preservation all should contribute towards it.

Funnier than the 1861 Globe will be the Comet's Tale, a paper purporting to be a regular issue of a newspaper printed in the Comet. It will be written in a humorous vein. Don't fail to purchase a copy of the Globe on Saturday next and receive with it a copy of the Comet's Tale, free.

The public were informed more than two weeks ago, that the President was signing official papers. Now it is announced that on Wednesday last he performed his first official act since the attempted assassination.

## "FORCING A CENTENAL."

The principal disputants over the centennial celebration of "The First Baptist Church of Woburn" in Woburn, having sheathed their swords, we propose in a few words, to cut the knot, and demonstrate beyond successful contradiction that Rev. Mr. Mills is in the right, and that Mr. Editor Parker, of the Arlington Advocate, is in the wrong.

On the 5th day of July, 1781, some people, members of neighboring religious societies, met in West Cambridge and voted to organize a Baptist Church.

Immediately following the vote a messenger was sent out for a blank book, and returned with one. Turning to the first ruled page therein, this small body of men and women, by the hand of a chosen scribe, wrote in substance as follows:

We, the subscribers, this day—July 5, 1781—agree to, and do hereby, organize ourselves into a Church of Christ: we name it "The Baptist Church of W. Cambridge."

This accomplished, every man and woman present signed his and her name on the pages of this book immediately following the above declaration, articles of faith, pledges, etc.

Next, a member was sent out for, and brought back a communion service and the emblems. The solemn act of commemorating the death of Christ was performed, and the whole machinery of a Christian church was thus set in motion.

Years passed; new names were added to this same book; others were erased from its pages.

Bear this in mind: the fact whether there was preaching or not; a meeting-house or not a society or not; cuts no figure in settling the disputed question—the Church, with that book, containing the roll of members, lived and flourished.

Again, time passed; and one day in the year 1785 it was suggested that the name of this church be changed to that of "The Cambridge and Woburn Baptist Church." This proposition was discussed, with the identical book containing the declaration, articles of faith, pledges, original roll of member list and the additions thereto, the communion vessels, and church paraphernalia all lying on the table in the midst of the assembly, and the change was voted.

Perhaps there was not original member present—possibly they were all dead—but it was the same church still. The vote did not touch the organization—the church merely rechristened itself—the reasons for which have nothing to do with elucidating this matter.

The church, under its new name grows; members are added to its rolls; death invades its ranks; changes are continually going on in this book of records.

At a meeting held in 1817, for good and sufficient reasons, it was voted to again change the name of the church to "The First Baptist Church of Woburn," and also its residence from West Cambridge to Woburn.

A Choice Selection of  
**FORMOSA, OOLONG AND JAPAN  
TEAS**  
AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

Woburn in Woburn: used by that church daily almost. This possession, and the organization from which the right to possess sprang, have been continuous and uninterrupted since July 5, 1781. Had this church changed its name and residence each year of the hundred of its existence, but had kept fast hold of the book, bought on the day of its organization, which contained the original members; had received members and dismissed them; and continued to observe the communion rites at stated periods, the place now claimed for it in history would not have been affected but would have been precisely the same as if not a single change had been made in either.

To illustrate: Suppose the Trustees had the power, and concluded to change the name of our library from "The Woburn Public Library" to "The Winn Public Library," and its location from Woburn to Arlington. Would it not be the same library still? There are the books, Mr. Champney's records, the records of the Trustees—everything intact; and if, one of these years, it was thought best to celebrate the founding of it, the posters announcing the fact would read "to celebrate the establishment of 'The Winn Public Library' formerly known as 'The Woburn Public Library.'"

Thus we have traced the history of "The First Baptist Church of Woburn" in Woburn from its birth, July 5, 1781, to the present time, and have shown that its existence has been continuous, uninterrupted, and vigorous during that entire century. It was born and spent its infancy in West Cambridge; its youth in West Cambridge and Woburn; and finally it settled down in Woburn where it has ever since lived.

We believe that Mr. Parker cannot controvert our facts, successfully assail our logic, or upset the conclusions reached by us, to wit, that "The First Baptist Church of Woburn" in Woburn is a hundred years old, and had a right to its centennial celebration.

This being the true state of the case, Mr. Parker can not go back of 1817 for the origin of the present Baptist Church in Arlington. The old church was not a dual one, which fact, with its continuous history, forces the conclusion that the Arlington church is an entirely distinct and separate organization, much younger than our church, with a history exclusively its own.

The anonymous writer in the Advocate, who we know to be a historian of note, cites very good law, but unhappily for him it has no bearing on this case. His law is applicable to cases of suspended animation, only. The old church has never been, and has had no need to be, reified.

When this able writer comes to consider the facts more closely he will see at once that his law is not applicable here, however sound it may be in cases of suspended animation, which condition he undoubtedly had in his mind when he wrote. If he can show that "The First Baptist Church of Woburn" in Woburn, either under that name or any of the others it has worn in its day, has ever been in a comatose state, then it will be time enough to consider his law, and its application, if to this case.

As for Mr. Spaulding's statements, they are too crude to merit consideration, if, indeed, they do not warrant the conclusion that he fails totally to understand the case.

Thus we have disposed of this matter, and in a manner that will withstand the severest test of criticism.

## LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.  
Ida J. McDonald—Music.  
J. G. Maguire—Tailor.  
G. W. Nicholls—Local.

Mr. John C. Buck leaves next Monday to meet his family at North Conway.

As usual the concert given by the National Band on Wednesday evening, was first-rate, and the crowd unusually large.

In their settlement with the insurance companies the McGonagles were paid \$3200 for damage on goods, and \$120 on fixtures.

Members of Crystal Fount Lodge, I. O. O. F., and families, went to Nantasket last Wednesday, and enjoyed themselves hugely.

The enterprising Boston furniture house Messrs. W. H. Hervey & Co. offer Bicycles at low prices by their system of instalments.

Mr. George A. Day, Assistant Cashier of the First National Bank, has returned from his vacation visit to the northern part of York State. He is hearty.

Curtis Davis & Co., have purchased 16 acres of land on which they will erect new soap works, the premises now occupied by them being entirely too small.

Class '81 of W. H. S. took their trip to Nantasket last Wednesday and had a very fine time. The class was well represented, with whom everything passed off pleasantly.

The fine shade trees on Bennett street were furnished by Mr. William B. Harris and set out in the spring of 1850—31 years ago. Mr. Harris obtained them in Barling-ton.

Mr. Joseph H. Buck, who lately sold his interest in the Kalmia Coal Company at Stoneham to J. G. Folland, Esq., has, or is about to enter the service of his father, Mr. Joseph Buck, of this town.

Well, we have had some delightful days this week. Western breezes have been refreshing, invigorating—aye, charming, and more than forty Woburn men have said so, or words to that effect.

On yesterday morning Thomas McHugh of Walnut street had his left arm badly lacerated by a belt in Russell's shop. A surgeon promptly dressed the injured member, and the patient is doing well.

It was decided by the medical examiner that Patrick Nolan, who was found dead on Salem street, last Friday afternoon, died from natural causes. It was the opinion of some of our physicians that the heat killed him, but of course heat is natural. He was a worthy man, so those say who knew him.

Liberia, Mocha, Maleberry, Old  
Government Java and Rio  
**COFFEES**  
Of the very best quality  
AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—Father Murphy of St. Charles Church is away on his vacation.

—Dog fights by moonlight, is the latest sensation at the Highlands.

—The Land League have their great picnic to-morrow at Hiawatha grove.

—The proper thing is being done in the way of a sidewalk in front of the R. R. depot.

—Thieves entered the Montvale R. R. station on Wednesday night and abstracted some cigars.

—The Phalanx were out last Saturday evening and were put through an hour or two of skirmish drill.

—A complete fire-escape has been erected in the rear of the Bank Block, to connect with Masonic Hall.

—The picnic of the Grattan Literary Association at Smith's Park, Andover, last Friday, was a great success.

—A thorough test of the Fire Alarm on last Tuesday demonstrated that everything was in order and working well.

—Officer Welsh is taking his annual vacation, and his familiar countenance is missed on the streets. We trust he will have a good time and return refreshed.

—The following real estate sales have recently been made here: Hannah A. P. Plympton et ux. to Minot J. Buckman, \$657, land on north side of Plympton street; Patrick Bradley to Sherman Converse, \$800, land and buildings on Chandler street, 14 acres; Patrick Bradley to Town of Woburn, \$300, land on Wood street, one-half-acre; Sherman Converse to Patrick Bradley, \$500, land and buildings on Wood street, 2 acres.

—The following card of invitation tells the story much better than we can: "1856—1881. Desirous of noticing the 25th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. J. Couillard, their friends intend calling on at their residence on East street, on Friday evening, Aug. 12, 1881. You are cordially invited to join the party as above at 8 o'clock." Thanks. And we hope the occasion will be enjoyed by everybody having anything to do with it.

—Rummaging among old papers in our drawer the other day we came across this: "Jackson Forever! (Eagle) Branch of the noble Hickory tree, The Nation's emblem thou shalt be." The Managers present their compliments to Mr. Boy's F. Wade and lady, politely soliciting their attendance to a Jackson Ball, at I. D. Grover's Hotel in Woburn, on Friday evening, Jan. 27, 1829.

—Dancing to commence at 5 o'clock p. m. W. Planders, F. Viles, Managers." That ball came off 52 years ago last January, at which, judging from the number of punches in the ticket, we should say Mr. Wade did his share of the dancing.

—When passing the store of Mr. A. E. Thompson the "hottest day since 73" last week, that kind hearted gentleman invited us in to sample a drink he had invented to slake thirst and tickle the palate. Some folks would jump to the conclusion that a pair of such old claps wouldn't think very much of a drink that hadn't a drop or two of rum in it; but they would err in their conclusion greatly, for though the liquor was cool, refreshing and grateful to the taste, it hadn't the least sprinkling of "the critter" in it. For which we tendered Mr. Thompson hearty thanks, and drawing a dilapidated coat sleeve across our lips, we toddled on through the heat, refreshed.

Last week we printed an item about some person sounding a fire alarm by hulloing in one of the boxes, which had better have left out of the paper. Of course, we supposed it would be taken as a joke—a purely fictitious item—but we have reason to believe that some people did not regard it as such, and were inclined to make more of it than was intended by the writer, and that too at the expense of other worthy men. We would not willingly injure the feelings of any human being, and when we have done so unwittingly nothing gives us more pleasure than to set the matter right. Therefore, we improve the earliest opportunity offered to assure all concerned that we intended no harm to any person by the item, and to crave the pardon of any one who may have felt aggrieved by its publication.

Monday evening W. H. Cummings left his team standing in front of C. A. Wyman's place, where he called, near Central Square, about 7 o'clock, and returning for it at 8, it was missing, having gone in the direction of Lowell or Lawrence. An hour later the police were notified, who telegraphed to Lowell and Lawrence. Early Tuesday morning Marshall Neal telegraphed to Chief Conn that he had man and team, having intercepted the thief on the information. The man's name is Hogan. He has lived in Woburn a few months and worked at the foundry. Drs. Harlow and Kelley examined Hogan for insanity and while they thought he might not possess a strong mind they did not consider him insane. While riding with Chief Conn from Lawrence he acknowledged stealing the team and being a fool for getting caught so early in the morning.

—The interests of Woburn demand telephonic connection with the outside world, and it is surprising that, with the amount of business and means here, this great modern improvement has not been adopted by our citizens. Not to have a telephonic system speaks poorly for our enterprise, for it is getting to be, not a luxury, but a prime necessity for speedy and easy intercourse between people all over the country.

We should think that the numerous tanneries here would want telephonic connection with their offices in the city; but where is it needed more than anywhere else is at Police Headquarters. With such connection time, labor and money would be saved almost daily in looking up and securing rogues and recovering stolen property. The present methods are too slow, and it is to be hoped that some of our good-head men will take hold of this matter and speedily provide the means for telephonic communication with the rest of mankind.

ROSE'S  
**LIME JUICE.**  
A delicious drink for the Summer months.  
GET THE BEST  
AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—Mr. Charles Buss, the druggist, leaves next Monday for the Intervale, North Conway, to join his family, who have been stopping there some time.

—A lighted candle and some varnish on Mr. Leonard Thompson's store cellar floor produced considerable smoke the other night, but no damage.

—In the absence of the engineer, last Monday, the oil in a kerosene stove, at Mr. Marcellus Littlefield's, ignited from friction of the machinery, and produced a momentary hubbub.

—Our respected townsman, Mr. Mark Allen, has just issued "M. Allen's Dramatic Combination: Mark Allen manager. Circular for the season of 1881—2," in a very neat and attractive style. It contains a large number of handsome testimonials to the merits of the Combination and complementary Press notices.

—Prof. Marshall of Tufts College and Mr. Symmes superintendent of the Mystic Valley Sewer, rescued a boy by the name of Hardy from drowning near Water street, on Tuesday. The lad fell into a brook, and was seen and rescued by these gentlemen who were riding by. He was insensible when taken from the water.

—Mr. F. H. Lewis, the music teacher, returned from the Adirondacks a few days since brimful and running over with enthusiasm for that wild region of the north. His face and hands looked as though they had recently been run through some one of the tanneries in town, but as the color and toughness were acquired in deer-hunting and shooting it is believed the Professor is rather proud of it than otherwise.

—Last Monday a small party of Woburn gentlemen took a trip on the Empire State down the bay on a fishing excursion. It seemed to be a bad day for anglers and angling, for with ill luck at fishing, many were unable to retain possession of their dinner. Not a great amount of fish was caught, on prize fish, a cod, weighed but five pounds, yet, one of the party caught two or three fair sized haddock which he brought home to Woburn.

—The next open air concert will be given by the Woburn Brass Band on the Common Wednesday evening, August 17, with the following

PROGRAMME.  
1. March. Niblungen. Wagner.  
2. Overture. Fiddler's Waast. Arr. by Reeves.  
3. Cornet Polka. Rosses 3d Lillies. Rollinson.  
4. Pirates Pounce. Sullivan.  
5. April Polka. (By desire.) Parlow.  
6. Exhibition March. Bismet.  
7. Operatic Potpourri. Meyer.  
8. Concert Waltzer. Resch.  
9. Selection Overture. Andran.  
10. Galop. Fairy Queen. Smith.  
T. H. MARINIAN, Director.

—D. H. Richards has spent his vacation since July came in, partly in Maine, but mostly in Sharon, the home of three generations of his ancestors, and for many years one of his summer resorts. Situated on high ground it is called one of the healthiest towns in the state. The Marshapog hotel, now full, has a fine pond with a grove around, and is the resort of picnic parties, Sunday schools, &c. from cities. Many private houses are also full of summer boarders at this season. Mr. R. intends soon leaving for a trip among the mountains of N. H. and Maine.

—On Monday evening, last, Mr. C. S. Knapp, who is employed at the Gas Works, reported to the police that a wallet containing \$62, notes, tickets, &c., had been taken from a vest he had hung in the second story of the gas house. Chief Conn was satisfied it was boys' work, and assisted by officers McHugh and Mulken, a vigorous search was made through the Highland district, and two boys, named Monahan and Murry, each about 12 years of age, were found in Cottle's store house asleep. Upon waking they were charged with taking the money, and admitted it, taking the officers to the places where they had hid it. Twenty-five dollars in bills and silver was taken from the lumber yard, and valuable papers from a bark car near Highland Station. Murry was the boy who accidentally shot Welch late the same afternoon. Monahan also had a pistol, both of which furnished a clue for the officers. Mr. Knapp is fortunate in recovering so much of the property, as by a day's more delay the boys would have got rid of the most of it.

—His Honor had no theory to advance in relation to the very perceptible increase of business at the Temple of Justice this week, and the Chief felt himself unequal to throwing light on the subject. Evidently it was not a question of comets, for the old one was too far away, and the new one was not near enough, to exert their baleful influence on the morals of Woburn; and as for the Dog-star, why everybody scouts the idea! Officer McHugh arrested Richard Crowley for malicious mischief and he was delivered to Boston officers: Thomas Marran, assault and bat, \$5 and costs; Patrick Heade, peace, \$5 and costs; Anton Semb, a Norwegian, assault and bat, case placed on file by paying costs; Edwin Hagin, arrested for assault and bat, on Charles Hart, turned over to Winchester officers: Daniel McMahon, assault and bat, \$5 and costs; Alfred Woodland, the youth who broke into the residence of J. Horace Dean on Beach street, left town as soon as it was known there was to be a complaint. The police soon found his whereabouts, and on Saturday afternoon Chief Conn received him from the Cambridge officers who had arrested him, and on Monday he was in court, where the case was placed on file on payment of costs: Harry Richardson and John Daberty, both young lads, were in court for "illegally using a boat," the property of J. D. McLeary; case continued to Wednesday morning: Cornelius Burke, \$1 and costs; Michael Gilgal and Patrick Cullen, assault and bat, both discharged.

P. S. Michael McMahon, Peter Crosby and Thomas Thorny, peace last Saturday night at the Highlands, each \$5 and costs; Frank Gillespie, Cornelius Burke, Daniel Hackett, Andrew McHugh, John Mahoney, all \$1 each and costs.

For Strictly Pure  
**SPICES, C. TARTAR,  
BREAD SODA AND EXTRACTS**  
Go to 22-13  
SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

—Mr. Albert Thompson, the artist, has not quite concluded to make a sketching tour to North Conway this season.

—Notwithstanding that Charley is away on his vacation the public are promptly served at the postoffice. Uncle Sam looks well after his customers.

—Mr. Burt, Stoneham watch maker, will return in better health this week, consequently Mr. Nichols will be relieved from duty at Stoneham and will be at his place of business every day hereafter, from 7 a. m. till 9 p. m., where he will be pleased to serve customers. If the watches are of any value, no matter how badly they may have been handled before, money will restore them to time keepers while the customers wait for them and takes them away warranted for one year.

—For correct judgment and good taste in selecting a method of spending a few summer vacation weeks commend us to the C. N. Club, of Woburn, whose members evidently know what pleasure is when they see it, and also where to seek for the best article in the market, as these few lines will prove before the end of them is reached. The Club rented a beautiful and commodious "cottage-by-the-sea" at Marblehead Neck, and on Wednesday of last week, Messrs. W. B. Doyle, Burt Dow and E. F. Johnson, accompanied by Miss Annie Hammond, Miss Mary Lizzie Simonds, Miss Hattie Blake, Miss Vanie Robinson, all of Woburn, Mr. F. J. Ham of Boston Highlands, and Miss Minnie Cann, of Somerville, took possession of it under a two week's lease, where they still are, reveling in invigorating sea breezes, delicious clams, with such trimmings and ceteras as well regulated palates and good health dictate. The days of the Club are delightfully spent; and what shall we say of the evenings? these gloriously beautiful moonlight evenings, so dear to us—those won't do at all, for the cottage contains none of that sort, and then we are not writing a romance or love tale—but, any way, these splendid moonlight evenings are deliciously whiled away in listening to "what are the wild waves saying?" leisurely pacing the smooth hard sands, gliding over the blue waters, &c. and so forth. In fact, the Club are having a rare good time, with no raging heat or rantankerous mosquitoes, which they propose to keep on having until about next Wednesday, when the meeting will adjourn sine die.

—The people who are gallivanting by the salt water, among the mountains, and in rural retreats, don't have all the comfort that is going, by considerable. We can't deny that they are having good times, but people at home are having good times too. We will not illustrate this point by citing our own current experience, but give that of an esteemed neighbor. Now, there is Dea. Gage, for example, he isn't down by the sea, nor up in the mountains, neither is he luxuriating on new milk and fresh eggs in the grateful shade of rural haystacks. He is at home. And yet, Dea. Gage is taking comfort—taking it every day, and in allopathic doses. From fresh morning hours to close up to those of dewy eve he sits in that cool, clean store of his and the "Co's," a good deal of the time surrounded by neighbors and friends who gracefully fill the easy chairs standing with open arms to receive them, which, too, customers enjoy while looking over the large new, prime autumn stock of fashionable cloths which fill the shelves and counters of this same cool, clean, neat store, and we are bound to say he is happy. And his visitors are happy too. And often as the evening zephyrs come tripping over Rag Rock, laden with the sweet odors of a thousand flower gardens and bearing health and vigor to their wings, the good Deacon is wont to tackle up Old Roan, and taking a companion with him speed away over some one or more of those delightful drives for which Woburn is famous, and pass a few hours in this pleasant and agreeable way. He enjoys his pleasant home, his fine store, his great stock of beautiful goods, the companionship of those neighbors who, like himself, find Woburn the best summer resort on the continent, his moonlight rides with friends, and why should Dea. Gage hanker after the salt water, the mountains, or rustic retreats?

—A pitiful scene was witnessed on Main street yesterday morning by scores of people, the particulars of which, with comments that will make some people's heads ring, we propose to give next week.

—Mr. Mark Allen, a voracious gentleman, insists that Pleasant Mountain is the highest point of land in Woburn. He also insists with equal pertinacity that the view from it is very fine, with no rebates.

—Our streets begin to wear their annual vacation air. There is a quiet repose and gentle sleepiness about them which tell plainly of the absence of a large number of our business and other men, and especially of the ladies.

—A generous slice from the bridal loaf accompanied by the compliments of the fair and happy bride has been received from Mrs. Charles D. Adams, the climax of whose earthly bliss was duly announced in the last issue of the JOURNAL. For which kind remembrance we return our thanks.

—At the meeting of the Rumford Literary Association, held in the Selectmen's room, last Friday evening, Vice President E. E. Thompson presided. The matter of printing the first volume of the Woburn Town Records was referred to a committee composed of Leonard Thompson, A. R. Linscott, and George M. Champney. Messrs. T. H. Hill, G. M. Champney, and Leonard Thompson were appointed a committee on the subject of preparing papers to be read before the Association next winter. A few new members were voted in.

**Faded or Gray Hair.**  
gradually recovers its youthful color and lustre by the use of Parker's Hair Balsam, an elegant dressing, admired for its purity and rich perfume.

**MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.**  
CONGREGATIONAL.—Preaching by the Rev. Frank H. Allen at 10.30 a. m.; concert in the evening. The usual service on Wednesday evening.

UNITARIAN.—Services for August 14th, pulpit supplied by Pastor. 21st, preaching by Rev. W. H. Person of Fitchburg, formerly of the Orthodox church, Somerville. 28th services by Rev. H. B. Carpenter of Boston.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at the Rooms of the Association on Sunday at 4 o'clock, p. m., led by Warren E. Clark. Bible class at the rooms on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

EPISCOPAL.—Ninth Sunday after Trinity. At 10.30 a. m., Funeral Sermon, Sunday School at 12 m.; at 7 p. m., "The form of the body after resurrection."

BAPTIST.—Service at 10.30 a. m., and 3. Preaching by Rev. H. M. Dean of Hingham, on exchange with the pastor. Prayer and Conference meeting at 7 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Thursday evening 7.45.

MONTVALE MISSION CHAPEL.—Rev. J. H. Mason pastor. Preaching Sunday morning at 10.45; Sunday school at 12; prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

CATHOLIC.—Services at St. Charles church Main street, at the usual hours of church.

**English Breakfast, Oolong and Japan  
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Of extra quality, 50 cts. per pound at  
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**A New Lot of  
Twill Cashmeres  
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Monie Cloths**  
In all the desirable shades, at only 12½ cents per yard.  
Another Lot of those desirable  
**Prints**  
With beautiful borderings, at 6½ cts. per yard.  
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Marked down to 6½ cents per yard.  
**Men's Unlaundered White Shirts**  
At 40c, 50c, and 75c, each. These are the same shirts as are advertised in the Boston papers, and are sold at Boston Prices.  
**Ladies' Hosiery**  
At 25 and 37½ cents. Marked down from 62½ cents.

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## WINCHESTER.

The macadamizing of Main street is in progress. Good job.

Several of the "fathers of the town" are away on a pleasure trip, and having a good time.

Abigail McClellan has bought premises on Cross street of George Stockwell, for \$1400.

Chief of Police Patterson is taking his vacation. Officer Todd fills his shoes worthily.

The Winchester camping party at Bridgeton, Maine, have wandered off to the White Mountains.

A concrete walk is being laid on Mr. Vernon street, which is entirely proper, and commendable.

Mr. F. W. Perry and family have returned from Nahant greatly recruited in health and spirits.

George Kingley was quite seriously cut at Bailey's mahogany mill last Saturday by a stick driven by a circular saw.

A good at home is a tower of strength abroad. Ten times as much Hood's Sarsaparilla used in Lowell as of any other.

A great many of our people are out of town "vacating." I don't believe they find much pleasanter places away from home.

Compare the dose and quantity of Hood's Sarsaparilla and you have conclusive proof of its superior strength and cheapness. Try it.

The family of Mr. George P. Brown are spending their vacation delightfully at No. Weymouth. Mr. Brown swings back and forth as circumstances will allow.

Rev. John F. Fielden, the new pastor of the Baptist church, will enter on his duties here on the 21st instant. He hails from New Hampshire, and for some ten years has stood at the head of the profession, or very near it, in that State.

The following are a few of our people now engaged in taking their vacation: Mr. C. D. Bangs and family, at Brewster; Samuel Smith, at Lacoma, N. H.; Mr. Cushman, John F. Mann, Miss Mary Carter, at Brewster; Alfred Kendall, Maine; Alanson Winn, Old Orchard.

The Assessors report that the property of the town is worth \$3,741,844, of which \$2,803,542 is real, and \$938,302 personal. The rate of taxation will be \$11.70 per \$1000. The total tax will be \$45,618.07, \$42,779.57 will be upon property, and \$1,838.50 upon polls. The male polls assessed number 916; thirteen women have been assessed for the fifty cents tax.

There was a pitched battle between the police and several claps who came out on the late train drunker than lords. At least such was said to be their condition. No arrests were made that night for the drunkenness, assault, or resisting the officers, but on Monday the officers of the law went for the crowd, and fetched them into court, where a portion were fined and others discharged. Fred Page, Pat McLaughlin and John King were fined in \$1 and costs, while Frank Murphy and another were let off scot-free.

It has been decided by the ladies of this place to give two entertainments in aid of the New England Hospital for Women and Children, the proceeds to be handed over to the managers of the great fair to be given by that institution next December. The arrangements for them are in the hands of two excellent committees, the first composed of Mrs. Bangs and Miss Wadsworth, and the other of Mrs. C. H. Dunham, Mrs. Stephen Thompson, and Mrs. Holbrook. The initial entertainment will probably be given early in September, and consist chiefly of out-door sports—a lawn party, with an archery tournament, and such other amusements as the fair committee may arrange for. No definite plan has yet been decided on concerning the character of the second entertainment, but from the character of the ladies composing the committee it is safe to predict that it will be something nice and pleasant.

(Winchester, Del.) Daily Republican.

Mrs. Adam Grubb, 231 Walnut street, has been a great sufferer for a number of years from extreme pain in the feet, something like rheumatism. She was also very much troubled with corns and bunions. Is was with great difficulty that she could walk, and sometimes she would visit her husband's shoe store or any of her children, she could not get home again without assistance, and often when she was walking along the streets she would be seized with such acute pain that she was compelled to stop in at the neighbors on the way until she got better. Some two weeks ago she heard of the wonderful cures St. Jacobs Oil was effecting and she at once commenced to use it and experienced great relief immediately. The pains have entirely left her feet and ankles and the inflammation has left the corns and bunions. She is now tripping up to her husband's shoe store and out to see her children without experiencing any pain.

## WALNUT HILL.

The intense heat of Saturday no doubt accounted for the small attendance of riflemen at the range, but few beside those who are to shoot the match with the New York Rifle Club at Creedmore being present. Below are the scores:

Sharpshooters Match—A. C. Adams, 108; F. J. Rabbeth, J. H. Williams, 106; J. E. Merrill, B. Anson, 103; G. D. Curtis, E. Prescott, C. D. Murdoch, 101. Handicap Match—J. B. Fellows, 47; G. Warren, 46; N. W. Arnold, 45. Team practice, 300 yds.—A. C. Adams, 67; J. Merrill, 65; J. B. Fellows, 64; F. J. Rabbeth, 63; N. W. Arnold, 61; J. H. Williams, 58.

The regular Long Range Match was continued Wednesday with the following result: W. C. Gregory, F. J. Rabbeth, 217; J. F. Brown, W. H. Jackson, 212; W. Howard, 210; H. Tyler, 211.

CLYDE.

## Two Years Ago

I was a sight to behold, and was unable to enjoy life at all. Now I am the picture of health, and can eat anything. What did it? Sulphur Bitters cured me of Dyspepsia and Liver complaint, after suffering two years. —W. H. B., Manchester.

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And all kinds of material for Embroidery in great abundance and variety.

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AT THIS SEASON OF THE YEAR.

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150 Main Street, Woburn.

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In GREAT VARIETY can be found at

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Alpaca Sacks, Dusters, Linen Suits, White Vests, &amp;c.

SINGLE &amp; DOUBLE BREASTED BLUE SUITS,

AT LOW PRICES

A Full line of Summer Underwear at

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P. O. Block, Woburn.

## INTERESTING ITEMS.

Summer clothing has gone like hot cakes well buttered at Munroe's this week.

Mental Arithmetic — A gentleman in the New York swamp met a rather "unpleasant" acquaintance the other day, when the latter said: "I'm a little short and would like to ask you a conundrum in mental arithmetic." "Proceed," observed the gentleman. "Well," said the "short" man, "suppose you had \$10 in your pocket and I should ask you for \$5, how much would remain?" "Ten dollars," was the prompt answer.

Smith & Son are doing a good business in dry goods if it is vacation.

"How do you like my spring clothes?" asked Leander. "Pretty well," replied Herro, doubtfully, and then added: "But I think I should like you better in a walking suit." He sat wrapped in silent thought for about five minutes, and then he got up and walked slowly away in the suit he had on.

The clerks at Cumming's great millinery establishment are not idle these days by any means.

It was their first night aboard the steamer. "At last," he said tenderly, "we are all alone, out upon the deep waters of the dark blue sea, and your heart will always beat for me as it has been in the past?" "My heart's all right," she answered languidly, "but my stomach feels awful."

Burgess enjoys a good trade. He believes in advertising, and people go where merchants have the enterprise to use printers ink; and besides he keeps a good stock.

Angry Wife of his Boss—"I wish I was dead and cremated and my ashes put in an urn on your dressing-room table, and then perhaps you'd be sorry!" Feculent Monster—"My dear, that wouldn't end the family jars—it would only begin them.—London Punch.

Copeland, Bowser & Co. continue to dispose of heaps of goods. They keep what the people want, and sell cheap.

"When I was a young man," says the philosopher Billings, "I was always in a hurry to hold the big end of the log and all of the lifting; now I'm older, I seize hold of the small end and do all the grunting."

Nearly all the ills that afflict mankind can be prevented and cured by keeping the stomach, liver and kidneys in perfect working order. There is no medicine known that will do this as quickly and surely, without interfering with your duties, as Parker's Ginger Tonic. See ad.

Her name was Eva, and when Charles Augustus called the other evening and asked her to be his darling wife, she gently thrust him from her and sweetly said, "Not this Eva. Some other Eva. Good Eva."

The first official act of President Garfield since he was shot was performed Wednesday when he affixed his signature to a requisition for the extradition of a criminal who for some time ago took refuge in Canada.

Very cool and refreshing drinks can be procured at Dr. Dodge's drug store, and always the freshest of medicines.

"Etiquette" writes to inquire if in our opinion it would be proper for him to support a young lady if she was taken with a faint—even if he hadn't been introduced. Proper, young man, certainly—prop her by all means.

ITCHING PILLS—SYMPTOMS AND CURE.—The symptoms and moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching, very distressing, particularly at night, as it pin worms were crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected; if allowed to continue very serious results may follow. "Dr. SWAYNE'S ALTERNATIVE OINTMENT" is a pleasant sure cure.

Also for Tetter, Itch, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Erysipelas, Barber's Itch, Blisters, all Scaly, Crusty, Cutaneous Eruptions. Price 50 cents, 3 boxes for \$1.25. Sent by mail to any address on receipt of price in currency, or three cent postage stamps. Prepared only by Dr. Swayne & Son, 336 North Sixth Street, Philadelphia, Pa., to whom letters should be addressed. Sold by all prominent druggists.

A widower's courtship—"Ned," she said to him, pensively, in a tone implying total lack of confidence in herself, "I don't think I can ever be to you what your first wife was." "Great Caesar, Mary!" was the enthusiastic response, "if I thought that I'd marry you to-morrow."

The hot rolls, biscuits, and brown bread at Estabrook's are nice.

Grandmother says when she was a girl that her mother always gave her sulphur and molasses to purify her blood, but she now gives Sulphur Bitters to her grandchildren as it is the best medicine she ever saw.—The Father.

A Western ex-Congressman proposes to domesticate the buffalo, as a much better beef animal for the cold northwest than the ox.

The New York Times correspondent at Lynchburg, Va., says that the day has not yet come when a man may be a Republican without fear of social ostracism.

A young man of 24 has married his aunt, aged 30, in Buffalo, and Judge Lewis of the Municipal Court, who performed the ceremony, tells a complaint that there is no law of the state forbidding it.

"Dear me, how fluidly he talks," said Mrs. Partington recently, at a temperance meeting. "I'm always rejoiced when he moun's the nostrils, for his eloquence warns every carriage in my body."

The Postmaster General has put an end to the last rumor, that he was intending to resign, by saying that if nothing else would cause him to remain in the Cabinet, the condition of the President would make it a duty.

There is More Strength restoring power in a 50 cent bottle of Parker's Ginger Tonic than in a bushel of malt or a gallon of milk. As an appetizer, blood purifier and kidney corrector, there is nothing like it, and invalids find it a wonderful invigorant for mind and body. See other column.

The Virginia Republican State Convention met at Lynchburg Wednesday. The Straightouts and the Readjusters met in separate halls, and spent the day and night in vain endeavors to harmonize their differences. Late at night the Straightouts adjourned until to-day. The Readjusters at midnight, when our report closed, had adopted a platform.

One of the secretaries of a Church Missionary Society, a distinguished man, was about to preach to a colored congregation, when he was introduced by the regular minister of the church, a colored man, in these words: "Now den, brudder, I've leach to info'm you dat Brudder Blake is going to preach to you to-day. He is de Secretary of de Missionary Society, a distinguished an' a eloquent man—in fact my brudder, he is a soundin' brass, an' tinklin' cymbal."

## White House Bulletin.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, Aug. 10—8 A. M. The President slept soundly during the night, and this morning his temperature is again normal, although his pulse is still frequent. At present it is 104; temperature, 98.5; respiration, 16.

(Signed)

D. W. BLISS,  
J. K. BARNES,  
J. J. WOODWARD,  
ROBERT REYBURN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, Aug. 10—12.30 p. m. The President is getting through the day in a very satisfactory manner. He has asked for and taken a small quantity of solid food, in addition to the liquid nourishment allowed. At the morning dressing the discharge of pus through the new opening was more free than at any previous time, its character was good and the wound looked well. Temperature and respiration continue within the normal range, although the debility following the operation is still shown by the frequency of the pulse. At present his pulse is 110; temperature, 98.6; respiration, 19.

(Signed)

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J. J. WOODWARD,  
ROBERT REYBURN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, Aug. 10—7 P. M. The President has passed an excellent day. The drainage of the wound is now efficient and the pus secreted by its deeper portions coming away spontaneously. The afternoon rise of temperature is almost a degree less than yesterday and the day before. Pulse at present, 108; temperature, 101; respiration, 19.

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ROBERT REYBURN.

## BRACE UP.

There is serious meaning in this expression. That weary step, languid eye and general feeling of lassitude, come from "sickness." Be assured, a serious and perhaps fatal disease is close in its wake. The system wants cleaning of impurities; the sluggish blood needs to be sent in swift and clear currents through the veins. Dr. Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy" will do this; it will give new vigor to the body, brightness to the eye, a glow to the countenance and elasticity to the step. One dollar a bottle. Every druggist has it. Dr. David Kennedy, Proprietor, Rondout, N. Y.

(Signed)

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ALL of our Clocks are run and regulated before they are sold.



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BREAD, CAKES &amp; PASTRY.

ORIGINAL HEARTH BREAD.

Something new, and best yet. Also his HOT BREAD AND BISCUIT at 5

We keep the largest assortment and are still adding every day.

For a good article, give us a call.

## Fresh Arrival.

SHORTLY before the rise in Black Walnut we ordered 200 BLACK WALNUT CHAMBER SETS which have now arrived, and have been placed in our storehouse. Being too late for our Spring Trade we propose to offer them at the LOW PRICE of

\$45,

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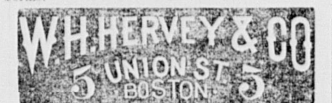
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GREETING:

WHEREAS a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by George Walker, who says that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in a newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of August, in the year A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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By virtue of a license from the Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, on Tuesday the thirtieth day of August, A. D. 1881, at four of the clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land with the dwellinghouse thereon standing, situated in the northerly part of Winchester, in said County, and bounded as follows, viz:—Commencing at the northerly corner of the premises, on the southerly side of Swanton street, the line runs westerly by said Swanton street, sixty feet to a stake; thence southerly by land now or formerly of Joseph Stone, one hundred and twenty feet to a stake; thence easterly still by land not named, sixty feet to a new street called Cedar street; thence northerly to the point of beginning and containing ten thousand eight hundred square feet, more or less.

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Lesson 7.

The Red Sea.

Ex. 14: 19-27.

GOLDEN TEXT:—"Speak into the children of Israel, that they go forward."—Ex. 14: 15.

Central Truth.—To the obedient, God opens a safe pathway through seas of difficulty and danger.

When the last judgment fell upon Egypt, in the death of all the first born, Pharaoh hastily called for Moses and Aaron. But one feeling seemed to possess him, and that was terror. Trembling with a sense of helplessness, he ordered them to take the people and "hedge." The Egyptians were equally terrified and urgent, "for they said, We be all dead men." Before daybreak the Israelites were actually on their way. But they did go out empty-handed and crouching. They went as victors, not as captives. They demanded a portion of the treasures of silver and gold and raiment, as men that had a right to do so. And the Egyptians were glad to give what they asked.

The whole number of those who went out could not have been less than two or three millions, counting, as we must, six hundred thousand men able to bear arms, together with their families, and the mixed multitude that went with them. As has been often and abundantly shown, this, by no means, represents an incredible increase during their sojourn in Egypt.

Many attempts have been made to trace their path, but great differences of opinion with respect to it still prevail. The stations named are Succoth, "the tents," Etham, "the fortress," and Pihahiroth, "the place where the reeds grow." But neither of these places can certainly be identified, nor can any theory respecting their exact course be constructed which shall be free from difficulty. The straight road would have taken them through the land of the Philistines; a warlike people, with whom they were by no means prepared to cope. God therefore led them by another and more winding way. But while they pursued their journey, Pharaoh repented that he had let so valuable a portions of his subjects go, and set out in pursuit.

Two things are here to be noted. The children of Israel were in great peril, and their faith quite forsaken then. The Egyptians, with horses and chariots and horsemen, overtook them at Pihahiroth between Migdol and the sea. There is a view recently put forward with great confidence and learning which locates this far to the north, on the edge of the Mediterranean Sea. But the majority of scholars still hold to the older view. It is quite possible that the "Weedy Sea," rendered Red Sea in our common version, was a system of lagoons and marshes in the north of Egypt. But the theory is not established. There is no sufficient reason for doubting that Pihahiroth was near the point where Suez lies. Into this place of peril God had brought his people. And from it escape seemed impossible. Behind them on the north was the Egyptian army. West and South were precipitous cliffs. Eastward was the sea. Their faith was "entangled." And their failure forsook them. They forgot all the wonders God had done in their presence; the merciful deliverances he had wrought for them. They were sore afraid. They bitterly complained against Moses. They did as God's people so often do when brought into straits where no human arm can save. But their fears were groundless as their want of faith was wicked.

The key of this whole narrative is in the thirteenth verse of this chapter: "Fear not; stand thou still and see the salvation of the Lord which I will show to you to-day." It was that they might see his salvation that they had been brought hither. God would prove to them by his final and most act the greatness of his power and his faithfulness to his people. By one crowning interposition he would teach them to obey in the face of difficulties, and to trust in the times of darkness and peril.

The pillar of the cloud which went before Israel on their march and came between them and the Egyptians when they were in the midst of the sea, was the visible sign of God's presence. By means of it God was the leader and protector of his people. It was the Shechinah, which afterwards rested upon the Most Holy Place.

If we accept the common view with respect to the place where the waters divided, the breadth was from three to four miles, where the water is not deep. The place is used as a ford. Through it Robinson was old people waded at low water. Niebuhr crossed it in 1762 on a dromedary. Bonaparte crossed at this point on his way through the desert. A strong east wind, like that spoken of in the lesson, would drive the waters far back, leaving a firm and level bed of rocky soil. And if at the head of the gulf there was any depression in the bed of the sea, the effect would be as if a broad pathway had been suddenly lifted, leaving water on either side. We are not to think of any such marvel as the waters standing in abrupt or perpendicular walls, nothing like this being at all indicated by the language employed. As the parting of the sea was caused by the east wind, a sudden change to the opposite quarter would rise the waters rapidly back.

The miraculous element in this grand view was not in any violation of nature's laws; it was in such a use of them as can be accounted for only upon the supposition of direct supernatural intervention. The communication of the divine plan to Moses and the opening of the waters and their return at just the right moments to secure the escape of Israel and the destruction of the

Egyptians, were by natural means, and yet by the special and miraculous power of God.

PRACTICAL SUGGESTIONS.

1. God sometimes brings his true children into positions of great difficulty and peril, and yet no difficulty or peril can be so great that he cannot make for us a way of escape.

2. When he bids us go forward, it is always safe to obey; he will make obedience possible, and the end will be blessing.

3. The angel of God, which went before the camp of Israel, is by many supposed to have been the Second Person of the Trinity, as he was manifest before his incarnation. Jesus is now by his example and teachings, and Holy Spirit the guide of believers. And no day will be so bright that we shall not need him, nor will any night be so dark that he will not shine as our guiding light.

4. The same manifestation of God may be light to his friends and darkness to his foes, hastening the salvation of the one and the destruction of the other.

5. Israel's exodus from Egypt affords at many points a type of the soul's escape from a life of sin. It is a passage from bondage to freedom; a state where judgments accumulate to one of discipline culminating in glory; a going out with doubts and fears, and yet with great promises; a flight before enemies full of wrath and of great power, and yet with a Helper who is divine. Seas of difficulty and sorrow seem to close up the pathway. But no soul ever gave trusting heed to the command, "Go Forward," who did not witness the parting of the waters before them. A way appeared where none appeared before.

6. The punishment of the wicked is sure and remediless; the salvation of those who heed and obey the divine voice is glorious and everlasting. Beyond the sea lies heaven.

Optimism and Childhood.

A few weeks ago, a man in the State of New York went five miles in haste for a doctor.

Says the latter: "On my arrival I found a babe eight months old, lying in the arms of its almost frantic mother; pale, comatose, bathed in perspiration, with a slow, feeble pulse, and pupils contracted to the size of a very small pin-head.

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"I was told that it cried hard that morning, hindering its mother from doing her work, and that she gave it a dose of laudanum about five o'clock, and another about two hours later. It was then one o'clock p. m. I asked how much she gave, and she said she didn't know.

"Surely," said I, "you know whether it was four, six or ten drops?"

"But Doctor, I did not drop it."

"Finally she told me the first dose was half a teaspoonful, and the last all the spoon would hold. On my expressing surprise at it not killing the child outright, she said she had often given it half a teaspoonful."

It seemed that she had given it in its brief life about fourteen ounces of laudanum—nearly a pint.

After hours of labor, with noise, shaking it, and dashing its face with cold water, the doctor succeeded in keeping the child roused enough for the poison to be eliminated, thus saving its life.

Perhaps there are many mothers but little wiser than the above. Optimism never ought to be given to a child, except at the doctor's order. Even when given in small doses its reaction will be very unfavorable to sound health.

A Father's Sorrow.

The *Biddeford Times* says that the two daughters of Mr. Henry Sawyer of Cornish, Me., living with him, the oldest 23, and the youngest 16 years, were taken suddenly ill one recent Sunday. A physician was called, who pronounced them ill with diphtheria. The disease being contagious, their father had to take care of them alone. On the night of Tuesday the oldest daughter, feeling that death was near, offered up a fervent prayer to heaven, and soon fell dying in the arms of her father. The youngest daughter, weeping for the loss of her sister, and groaning with the pains of her disease, had to assist in preparing for her sister's burial. Having prepared her best clothing, she looked calmly on while her father, feeble of health and worn down with constant watching and care, succeeded at last in preparing his daughter for the burial. Morning at length dawned, and the youngest daughter, being impressed with the thought that she was about to follow her sister, gave a few parting words to her dear father, and in a few minutes fell strangled, also, in his arms. At the setting of the sun they were buried, side by side, in the same grave.

We see it stated that already in Kansas one brewery has been converted into a starch factory and another into a pork house. The brewers will lose nothing by the operation of the law. The increased prosperity of the State will soon make their property more valuable for other purposes than it has been even for the gainful business for which it has been used. Kansas, which has lately attracted so much an vast immigration will be more desirable than ever as a home for immigrants. Earnest men who have children to be guarded and saved will turn their face thither, and will help to reward the gallant State which has already done so much for human welfare.

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**THE SILENT DEACON'S**  
**OPINION.**

When next summer comes, with its heat and dust and languor, and the tired spirit, fainting by the way, cries out for the wings of a dove, go up to W—, among the hills made sacred to nature, where the hurry and anxiety of commerce are unknown, and the silent Sundays are never broken by the whizzing of machinery, or a bill of steam and smoke. If you have toiled hard enough to deserve rest, you will find it in W—; if not, you will seek it anywhere in vain.

It is the most pleasant place in the world, and were it not for the farmer turning his furrow, or casting in seed, you might imagine yourself already where "Sundays never end."

Entering the neat, commodious church, fatherly and motherly faces meet your eye at every hand, and you will soon forget that you are a stranger.

You'll, in the square pew, sits Deacon Lee; you would know he was a deacon if he had not told you. Some men are born deacons—what a pity that some should enter the holy office who are not! Deacon Lee was not a native of W—, but went there to till a farm left him by an aged relative some twenty years ago—about the time Dea. Bell died, leaving a sad void in the church and parsonage—for he was a pillar in Zion, and a strong arm to his pastor. After seeking long to fill his place, the minds of the church settled on the new-comer, who, by his solemnity, piety and zeal, seemed created for the place. He was a man of few words, rarely ever talking, so that the boys called him at first "a glum old man." But they soon changed their opinion; for he set apart a free of summer-sweetening and one of hell-pears for their express benefit, as they went to and from school, and surprised them by a fine swing, which he hung for them in his walnut grove. So the verdict of that and of each succeeding generation of boys was that although the deacon never talked, he was a kind and genial man, and a lover of children. Every boy, for twenty years back, has been his shepherd, his watchman, or his assistant farmer; feeling a high honor to hitch his horse on Sunday, or to drive his murrain on Monday; and all because they saw through the thick veil of reserve, that love burned and glowed in his heart.

Deacon Lee's minister trusted in him, and the church felt her temporal affairs safe in his hands, and the world honored his strong consistency.

There was a serpent in Eden, and a Judas in that thrice-blessed band who walked and talked with our redeemer on earth, and who saw His glory mingled with His humanity; why, then, need we wonder that one man, subtle and treacherous, hid himself in the calm verdure of W—, crawling out only to deceive God's people with a kiss, till ready to spring upon them with his poisoned fangs? Upright, faithful and earnest as were the people, they were not proof against flattery and deception. There came among them one quite unused to their unostentatious way of serving God, and ambitious, as he said, "of seeing them make some stir in the world." We know from God's Word that "one sinner destroyed much good," and yet we are often annoyed at the wide results of one man's evil work in the church. One can sow tares which a hundred cannot black out; and therefore it becomes God's children to stay the enemy in his first efforts.

He who aimed at the life of the gospel in W— was "dead while he had a name to live." He scorned many of the humble ones whose crown was waiting upon him. He hated the humbling doctrines of the Cross, and desired to see man glorified and exalted; he rebelled against the "iron bars," which he chose to call the bonds of love which separate God's chosen and obedient ones from the world that lieth in wickedness. He declared that the Millennium could never dawn till all Christians were as one—by which he meant that, for the sake of union, right must yield to wrong—as if he were of the number who loved and longed for the appearing of Christ! He began stealthily to sow his seeds among the young and weaker of the flock, and when he saw the first tokens of their taking root he grew bold, and began to cast them in on the strong, high hills. But here he found resistance; the soil which had borne such rich harvests of grace repelled his seed from its bosom; and he came to the mad resolve to assail the deacon, and try how he would receive it. If, with his piety, zeal and influence, opened his bosom to it, the end was easily attained. The minister was not worthy of consideration in the matter—ministers are so ready to put out of the way if they proved a dead weight to him. If he proved a dead weight he would not molest him; if alive and zealous of his Master's honor, and bullet would settle him for ever.

In pursuance of his "liberal views" and his deep-laid plot, our valiant reformer rode up and fastened his horse before the untiring dwelling of Deacon Lee. Unhindered the next "keeping room" to await his coming from the harvest-field, his restless spirit was almost awed by the silence that reigned there. The tall clock in the corner, with its ever-sailing ship, ticked painfully loud; and even the buzzing of the few flies on the panes annoyed him. He suffered much the same oppression as do those who wait long in a silent, darkened room, the coming of a minister to a funeral. He wished for, and then dreaded the good man, being not quite sure of a warm reception. He had just decided on a clandestine flight, when the door opened and the deacon entered, as calm and neat as if he had never ruffled his spirits or soiled his garments.

After the usual greetings, and a dead, awful pause, the visitor began—think of the wiles of Satan!—by lamenting the low state of religion, asking the good man why this church had enjoyed no revival for three or four years! What cared he for God's set time to visit Zion? He was far more deeply interested in a new stage-road to the summit, and in getting up stock in the projected hotel there.

"Now what do you think is the cause of things being dull here? Do you know?" he persisted in asking.

The deacon was not ready to give his opinion and after a little thought, frankly answered, "No, I don't."

"Do you think the church are alive to the work before them?"

"No, I don't."

"Do you think the minister fully realizes the solemnity of his work?"

"No, I don't."

A twinkle was seen in the eye of this troublemaker in Zion, and taking courage, he asked:

"Do you think Mr. B. a very extraordinary man?"

"He's been holding anything wonderfully great?"

"No, I don't."

"You talk so little, sir," replied the guest, not a little abashed, "that no one can find out what you do mean."

"I talked enough once," replied the old man, rising to his feet, "for six praying Christians! Thirty years ago I got my heart humbled and my tongue bridled, and ever since that I've talked softly before God. I then made vows, solemn as eternity, and didn't go to tempt me to break them!"

The troublemaker was startled at the earnestness of the hitherto silent, immovable man, and asked, "What happened to you thirty years ago?"

"Well, sir, I'll tell you. I was drawn into a scheme just like this one of yours to uproot one of God's servants from the field in which he had planted him. In my blindness I fancied it a little thing to remove one of the 'stars' which Jesus holds in his right hand, if thereby my car could be tickled by more flowery words, and the pews filled with those who turned away from the simplicity of the gospel. I and the men that led me—for I admit that I was a dupe and a fool—flattered ourselves that we were doing God service when we drove that holy man from his pulpit and his work, and said we considered his labors ended in B—, where I then lived. We groined because there was no revival, while we were criticizing, and crushing, instead of upholding by our efforts and our prayers the instrument at whose hand we harshly demanded the blessings. Well, sir, he could not drag on the chariot of salvation with half a dozen of us taunting him for his weakness, while we hung on as a dead weight to the wheels; he had not the power of the Spirit, and could not convert men, so he hunted him like a deer till, worn and bleeding, he fled into a covert to die. Scarcely had he gone, when God came among us by His Spirit to show that he had blessed the labors of His dear, rejected servant. Our own hearts were broken, and our wayward children converted, and I resolved at a convenient season to visit my former pastor and confess my sin, and thank him for his faithfulness to his wayward sons, which, like God buried seed, had now sprung up. But God denied me that relief, that he might teach me a lesson every child of His ought to learn, that he who toucheth one of His servants toucheth the apple of His eye. I heard my old pastor was ill, and talking my oldest son with me, set out on a twenty-five miles' ride to see him. It was evening when I arrived, and his wife, with the spirit which any woman ought to exhibit toward one who had so wronged her husband, denied me admittance to his chamber. She said, and her words were arrows to my soul, 'He may be dying, and the sight of your face might add to his anguish!'

"Had it come to this, I said to myself, that the man whose labors had, through Christ, brought me into His fold, whose hands had buried me in baptism, who had laid designing men had alienated us, been to me as a brother—that this man could not be in peace with my face before him? 'Glad pity me!' I cried, 'what have I done?' I confessed my sin to that meek woman, and implored her for Christ sake to let me kneel before His dying servant and receive his forgiveness. What did I care then whether the pews by the door were rented or not? I would gladly have taken his whole family to my home for ever as my own flesh and blood, but no such happiness was before me.

"As I entered the room of the blessed warrior, whose armor was falling from his limbs he opened his languid eyes, and said, 'Brother Lee! brother Lee!' I bent over him and sobbed out, 'My pastor! my pastor!' then raising his white head, he said in a deep, impressive voice, 'Touch not mine anointed, and do my prophets no harm!' I spoke tenderly to him, told him I had come to confess my sin, and bring some of his fruit to him, calling my son to tell him how he found Christ. But he was unconscious of all around; the sight of my face had brought the last pang of earth to his spirit.

"I kissed his brow, and told him how dear he had been to me; I craved his pardon for his unfaithfulness, and promised to care for his widow and fatherless little ones; but his only reply murmured as if in a troubled dream, was, 'Touch not mine anointed, and do my prophets no harm.'

"I stayed by him all night, and at day-break I closed his eyes. I offered his widow a house to live in the remainder of her days; but like a heroine she said, 'I freely forgive you. But my children, who entered deeply into their father's anguish, shall never see me so regardless of his memory, as to take anything from those who caused it. He has left us with his covenant God, and He will care for us.'

"Well, sir, those dying words sounded in my ears from that coffin and that grave. When I slept Christ stood before my dream, saying, 'Touch not mine anointed, and do my prophets no harm.' These words followed me till I fully realized the esteem in which Christ holds those men who had given up all for His sake, and I vowed to love them evermore for His sake, even if they are not perfect. And since that day, sir, I have talked less than before, and have supported my pastor, even if he is not a 'very extraordinary man.' My tongue shall cleave to the roof of my mouth, and my right hand forget her cunning, before I dare to put asunder what God has joined together. When a minister's work is done in a place, I believe God will show it to him. I will not join you, sir, in the scheme that brought you here; and moreover, if I hear another word of this from your lips, I shall ask my brethren to deal with you as with them who cause divisions. I would give all I own to recall what I did thirty years ago. Stop where you are, and pray God, if perchance the thought of your heart may be forgiven you."

This decided reply put an end to the new comer's efforts to get a minister who could make more stir, and let him free to lay out roads and build hotels.

There is often great power in the little word "no," but sometimes it requires not a little courage to speak it as resolutely as did the silent deacon.

**For The Ladies.**

**FASHION HINTS.**—Pearl belt buckles are restored to favor.

New silk fans are cut to resemble feathers.

Strings are abolished from all but dress bonnets.

Traveling hats are fairly loaded with feathers.

The low straw turban is the coming traveling hat.

Stylish bracelets are the merest cord of gold or silver.

Twisted silk saris are used for mid-summer dresses.

Square kerchiefs have replaced fichus for house toiles.

Mull scarfs with embroidered spots are worn as mantles.

Suits of striped domestic chevrot are liked for morning wear.

Pompeian red cashmires are already imported for autumn dresses.

The new chevrons are not combined with any other material in making up costumes.

Elegance, ease and durability are the three essential characteristics of a traveling dress.

Children's stockings in dressed silk, raw or sponge silk, are made double at the knee and come in plain colors.

Cheviots are the favorite dress stuffs of the season. They come in checks, plaids and stripes of every color.

A camel-hair dress made up over silk, with a velvet and under skirt in one band, makes a simple traveling costume.

For ordinary traveling wear, when no attention is paid to matching the dress, black hats are mostly worn by old and young.

Sponge silk stockings are one of the novelties. They are a mixture of cotton and silk, in fact colors, with hand-worked figures.

Camel's hair and flannel suits are very stylish. Imported French dresses of the best grade shows these goods made up over silk in different styles.

While traveling, a dotted black net or real thread veil assists in keeping the hair tidy and the eyes free from cinders, besides shrouding the features becomingly.

Many ladies wear low ties or high heeled slippers on journeys. The *Bazar* says the practice is in wretched taste; but it calls out all that is novel in the line of fine hosiery.

A simple and English-looking traveling suit is made of a subdued, yellowish brick-dust flannel. It is made with tightly-fitting postilion hague, with a heavy silk cord running around the lower edge.

Young widows wear fine, soft, gray silk stockings, with black and white hair stripes. For the more advanced stages of widowhood the stripes broaden evenly until they are about half an inch wide.

There is quite a demand among fashionable ladies for plain stockings, that is, for a single solid color for day and evening wear. They come in ruby, plum, steel gray, cream white, and the evening shades of rose, blue, etc. They cost in New York from \$7 to \$15 per pair.

In fine silk for the hands, the Jersey glove is the last freak. It has no opening for buttons at the wrist, and is as long as the eighteen-buttoned length in the Bernhardt kid. In black it finds special favor, but can be had in old gold, slate gray, and tan color. It stretches as tightly over the hand as the Jersey over the body, but wrinkles slightly over the wrist, though not so much as the Bernhardt.

## Magnificence of Ancient Rome.

The following vivid pen-picture is from "The Old Roman World," by John Ford: If anything more were wanted to give us an idea of Roman magnificence, we would turn our eyes from public monuments, demoralizing games and grand processions; we would forget the statues in brass and marble which outnumbered the living inhabitants, so numerous that one hundred thousand have been recovered and still embellish Italy, and would decrease into the lower sphere of material life—to those things which attest luxury and taste—ornaments, dress, sumptuous living and rich furniture. The art of working metals and cutting precious stones surpassed anything known at the present day.

In the decoration of houses in social entertainments, in crockery, the Romans were remarkable. The mosaics, signet rings, cameos, bracelets, bronzes, chains, vases, couches, banquetting tables, chariots, colored glass, gilding, mirrors, mattresses, cosmetics, perfumes, hair dyes, silk robes, potteries, all at great cost and beauty. The tables of thuga root and Delian bronze were as expensive as the sideboards of Spanish walnuts, so much admired in recent great exhibitions. Wood and ivory were carved as exquisitely as in Japan and China. Mirrors were made of polished silver. Glass cutters could imitate the colors of precious stones so well that the Portland vase from the tomb of Alexander Severus was long considered a genuine sardonyx. Brass could be hardened so as to cut stone. The palace of Nero glittered with gold and jewels. His beds were of silver and his tables of gold. Thierus gave a million of sesterces for a picture for his bedroom. A banquet dish of Drausilius weighed five hundred pounds of silver. The cups of Drausus were of gold. Tunics were embroidered with the figures of various animals. Sausils were garnished with precious stones. Paulina wore jewels, when she paid visits valued at \$800,000. Drinking cups were engraved with scenes from the poets. Libraries were adorned with busts and presses of rare woods. Sofas were inlaid with tortoise shells and covered with gorgeous purple. The Roman grandees rode in gilded chariots, bathed in marble baths, dined from crystal cups, slept on beds of down, reclined on luxurious couches, wore embroidered robes and were adorned with precious stones. They ransacked the earth and the seas for rare dishes for their banquets, and ornamented their houses with carpets from Babylon, onyx cup from Bithynia, marble from Corinth, statues from Athens—whatever, in short, was precious or rare or curious in the most distant countries. The luxuries of the bath almost exceed belief, and on the walls were magnificent frescoes and paintings, exhibiting an inexhaustible productiveness in landscape and mythological scenes, executed in lively colors.

But these were not all. The most amazing wealth went hand in hand. There were "citizen nobles who owned whole provinces; even Paula could call a whole city her own. Rich senators in some cases, were proprietors of 200,00



## The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, AUGUST 19, 1881.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 195 Main Street, R. Robie, 166 Main Street, E. F. Cutler, Cummingsville, J. P. Tyler's, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

## THE PRESIDENT.

On Tuesday last the President was considered by his attending physicians in a critical condition. A great change in his symptoms was reported, and the intelligence from Washington during the day was of the most alarming character. Dr. Hammond, one of the consulting physicians, declared that the patient could not possibly survive beyond a few hours at the longest. The bulletins were of the same character. These the reporters said, were the only honest ones given to the public since the attempted assassination. With this news, so unexpected, Tuesday was an anxious and gloomy day for the whole country.

The latest dispatches from Washington are more hopeful, and encourage the belief that the President has got over the worst of it, and will recover. And, still, in view of the questionable character of the information that has proceeded from the White House all along, it will not do to celebrate yet.

Wendell Phillips is getting to be about as contemptible an old ass as there is in America. If he isn't a nihilist, he comes pretty close to it, and upholds nihilism wherever it may be found. He is a regular lunatic, and nuisance.

The war between Doctors Bliss and Hammond may give the President a chance to get well. Professional jealousy has broken out in its most malignant form between these distinguished physicians.

## LOCAL NEWS.

**New Advertisements.**  
C. H. Hood—Sawgrass.  
C. H. Webster—Music.  
S. Horton—Landscape.  
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W. R. Putnam—To Let.  
Miss Plympton has a real good tenement to rent cheap.

Miss Martha and Sophronia Johnson are at Hallowell, Maine.

Mr. L. H. Allen has bought of Patrick Gennan land and buildings on East street for \$900.

For the 15, 16, 17 and 18 Vennor hit the weather to a dot. He has no peer as a weather prophet.

Officer John Doyle is on vacation this week, and at last accounts was putting in dead loads of comfort.

Mr. John I. Monroe, Esq. and family have returned from their vacation trip refreshed and invigorated.

The next one will be the last of the series of open-air concerts by the Woburn Brass Band this season.

The right forefinger of Mr. Michael Kenney received a compound fracture at Russell's shop last Monday.

Mr. Edward Hoskins had one of his feet quite badly burned by steam at Simonds's shop on Tuesday.

The National Band gave an enjoyable open-air concert at the Highlands on Tuesday evening. The attendance was large.

Mr. Austin C. Hunt, a sewing machine agent of this town, while on a visit to Belmont lost his horse. The team is supposed to have been stolen.

Mr. B. T. H. Porter and family are cooling off and resting from their labors at Rye Beach, a delightful summer resort on the New Hampshire coast.

The noblest thing out, and the latest, is a bicycle shirt which Munroe is selling so cheap that a man almost thinks it has been made a present of to him.

"A Drive to the Circus" is a nicely written, chatty and breezy letter from a fair correspondent, from whom more like it would be very acceptable.

Mr. C. H. Webster, organist at the Baptist church, has taken unto himself a better half within a few days, and we trust bride and groom are cheerful.

This terrible weather is driving people from the beach by the cartloads. Woburn's quota is getting back to the vine and fig tree about as fast as horseflesh can fetch them.

On the receipt of the news, Tuesday, of the unfavorable turn in the President condition the deep feeling of sorrow was shared by all—Republicans and Democrats alike.

The Land League picnic at Hiawatha Grove last Saturday was a grand good one, and a success in every respect. The attendance was very large, and everything passed off pleasantly.

Mr. Clarence P. Stetson, in the Dead-Letter office, Post Office Department, Washington, is spending a brief period here in Woburn, with "lots" of friends who are glad to see him.

A party of ladies and gentlemen from Virginia visited our public library the other evening and expressed their admiration of the beauty of the building, the beautiful paintings, and the interior in glowing terms.

The gliding grace, or "poetry of motion," which the reader will readily detect in this item, is owing entirely to its having been written with a pencil from the popular and well filled store of our good friend Mr. Sparrow Horton. Go thou and do likewise.

It is needless to say that Miss Ida J. McDonald is an accomplished and very successful teacher of the piano and organ, for the people of Woburn know this without our telling it. She is devoted to her profession, takes great pains with her pupils, is a mistress of the art, and never fails to give complete satisfaction wherever she teaches. Also, Miss McDonald is an estimable lady and deserves a liberal patronage. Read her card.

A Choice Selection of  
FORMOSA, OOLONG AND JAPAN  
TEAS  
AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

Pleasant rooms may be secured by applying to 135 Main street.

Mr. J. W. Hammond is enjoying himself first rate at Saratoga. He deserves it.

John Shea came from Stoughton drunk in a team. The police sobered him off in the lockup.

Mr. Horton has received the September Harper's at the Woburn Book store, and all the other monthlies that are out.

Be careful about paying a man who will number your door and charge 25 cents promising to furnish a directory.

The schools will soon resume business, and the youngsters are dreading it. It has been a terrible short vacation to them.

Dr. Rogers and family have returned from their vacation visit to Farmington, Maine, feeling all the better for the trip.

The members of the St. Charles choir and teachers, on invitation of Rev. Mr. Guey, went to Nantasket on Wednesday.

Miss Lotta Kelley is taking her ocean zephyrs and fresh mackerel at Rye Beach—a ton spot, with lots of solid comfort and fun.

Mrs. Mark Allen is taking her success from domestic labors, and trials (with Mark) at Gloucester. And we trust she is having a good time.

Capt. Matthews informs us that Post 33 will go into camp with the Middlesex County Association, G. A. R. on Tyngs Island, in the Merrimack River, on September 8th.

Wm. Wells, a barber from the West, was found in a stupor condition near Central Square on Tuesday night. He was cared for by the police, and sent to Lowell in the morning.

Mr. J. Howard Nason and family are "vacating" at the old home down on the Androscoggin, Maine, and will take in the reunion of the Maine Veterans at Portland before returning.

Mr. Waldo L. Thompson and wife propose to start for the White Mountains next Wednesday, where they expect to enjoy dead loads of comfort. May their hopes end in full fruition.

The Commonwealth's Fish Commissioners were in town last Friday, looking up a good place at the head of Abijah's placid waters for planting a mess of English carp for propagation.

Our Town Treasurer, Leonard Thompson, Esq. left for the land of the Blue-noses last week, and will return to his post next Monday. He will please accept our thanks for late Nova Scotia papers.

Woburn is growing—it might almost be said, booming—in numbers. Last spring her population was 11,024; it is now 11,453; gain, 429. As follows: Centre, 8,230; Montvale, 1,043; Cummingsville, 1,194; North Woburn, 876. At this rate of increase it will be in order to apply at the General Court after the next for a city charter.

The card of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Co., is printed in this paper this week. The company is too well known to need any commendatory notice from us, and Mr. Horton, its agent, is equally well known, does the far thing by all who do business with him. Mr. H. is also agent for several other first class companies.

Rev. George H. Young, the beloved pastor of the Unitarian church, has gone off for what he calls his "vacation." We never heard of it by that name before; but, then, a famous French diplomat and statesman once said that language was made to conceal thoughts rather than to express them. Anyway, he has the JOURNAL's best wishes for a safe launch into the uncertain waters of matrimony, and a pleasant voyage thereafter.

In this paper will be found the professional card of Mr. Charles H. Webster, solo pianist and teacher, and organist at the Baptist church in this place, to which the attention of those desiring a complete course of musical instruction is directed. Mr. Webster is a thoroughly educated and competent teacher, and as the season for the formation of classes is approaching he will doubtless secure a large number of pupils.

There is going to be a dance down to the depot week. Mr. Conductor Judson O. Hart is to be Master of Ceremonies. We can't find out exactly whether it is in honor of the Queen's birthday, or a celebration of the opening of Mr. Eli Cooper's new stand and lunchroom; but anyway, they are bound to have a real collation party, so Mr. Hart says (though Mr. Cooper doesn't know the first thing about it), and everybody and the women folks are going to have invitations. You see, a real jolly place is being fitted up in the Gentlemen's waiting room in the depot for Mr. Cooper's periodical and lunch quarters, so we suspicion the affair is to give the establishment a regular old-fashioned sendoff, and not in honor of H. B. M. Victoria. The railroad boys are into it clean up to their elbows, which is tantamount to saying that it will be a big thing on ice.

The last Sunday Globe contained some grave-yard yappings gleaned by its local reporter in a tramp through the oldest cemetery in Woburn, which ought to be quite interesting to searchers for ancient inscriptions and records. The oldest date found on a headstone in the yard in 1689, but as Woburn was incorporated in 1642 and was settled several years before that time, and as this is its oldest burying-place, it is highly probable that it contains many graves of an earlier period than the one named, though there are no stones to mark them, or tell us who their occupants are. It is a spot of much interest, and many people of curious and antiquarian cast of mind visit it. Which reminds us to suggest, that the means of ingress might be improved, that is to say, if there was an open public gateway, where no keys were necessary, it would be still more frequently visited, and better appreciated as one of Woburn's ancient landmarks.

Liberia, Mocha, Malebercy, Old  
Government Java and Rio  
COFFEES  
Of the very best quality  
AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

The members of the Ladies' Auxiliary Corps, Burbank Encampment, G. A. R. went down to Point of Pines, Chelsea Beach, yesterday. Mr. David Hoskins put on his white, company hat and took them along in good style.

At the Selectmen's meeting on Tuesday evening petitions were received for extension of Scott street, and for a street from Plympton to Chestnut I referred to committee. Messrs. Hill, Trull and Ham were appointed a committee on procuring a safe for the records.

The almost unanimous verdict of the people is, that the weather for the last few days has been perfectly outrageous. Nothing like it has been experienced for years. One man went so far as to say it snowed here, on Wednesday morning. Of course nobody believed him.

On the 27th of August, 1880, the mercury in thermometers hereabouts stood at 41 in the shade. For fear that this statement will not be believed we give our authority for it—the Woburn reporter of the Boston Herald, who will back it up with muscle, if need be.

The concert by the Woburn Brass Band, last Wednesday evening, was a capital one. Good judges say it was the best of the course. The selections were admirable, several of which were encored and repeated. The attendance was very large, and the attention given to the music was more marked than heretofore. It would be hard to beat the concert of Wednesday night.

Mr. Charles M. Munroe, who has, first and last, taken in nearly all of the principal watering places on the coast, gives the preference to Cottage City, Oak Bluffs, Martha's Vineyard, where he spent his vacation this year. He praises the beautiful retreat enthusiastically, and has made a memorandum in his pocket book for a visit to it next year.

Mr. Selectman Ham has purchased a nice residence on Court street of Mrs. Luke Wyman of Arlington. Mr. Ham is a Bourbon Democrat of the most pronounced stripe, and yet we don't quite think we will move out of the neighborhood, because he is coming in. Not this week, anyway. But if, as a rule, the Selectmen of Woburn can go on and buy nice houses and things in this kind of a way, we hereby announce ourselves a candidate for the office for 1882.

When Mr. Lewis F. Bond started from Boston last Saturday he put a pocketbook containing \$436 in his hip pocket with which to pay his men at North Woburn. On leaving the car at the Centre he found to his regret that the money was gone. He retraced his steps to Boston, but learned nothing of the missing pocketbook and contents. The car in which he first came out had been locked up over Sunday, on Monday morning when the brakeman went in to arrange it for use, he found the lost sheep. It was returned to Mr. Bond, who generously gave the finder \$25 for doing the honest thing. Moral: fluster \$25 of hip pockets.

Last Wednesday evening a frightened steed, tackled to a nice top-buggy belonging to Mr. Brown, came tearing up Pleasant street at a frightful speed, when Charley Bueley sprang from the sidewalk and bucked the horse by the bridle. At the same time a dog seized Charley by the leg, which had a strong tendency to divert his attention, momentarily, from the business in hand. Giving the dog a kick that pretty nearly put a period to his existence, he lit out for the flying team, which he overtook, leaped over the buggy top, landed safe on the cushions, seized the lines, and stopped further proceedings. It was a dashing feat which only a few men could perform.

There has been a slight decrease of business at the Police Court this week, and yet the aggregate volume has been larger than it ought to be: Bernard McElhany, George Johnson, Jr., Mr. Foley, Peter Bass, Michael Ryan—all d. \$1. and costs; two young men from Lynn, well known to the police, visited Woburn on Sunday and drove a horse through the streets at a dangerous pace; the police were unable to gaffe them; they went to Montvale in the evening where, turning a corner they broke a wheel of their vehicle and were obliged to frog it to Stoughton for repairs; on Saturday evening officer McSweeney arrested a man on Main street near the depot, assisted by officer Simonds: when near the lockup a stone was thrown by one of the crowd which struck Mr. Simonds in the back, and was not pleasant to take.

Here is a circumstance, or whatever one may be pleased to call it, which, in all probability, has no parallel in the political history of Middlesex County: At the Woburn March meeting in 1847, Mr. Gawin R. Gage was elected Treasurer of the town. Mr. Leonard Thompson, Jr. was his competitor, and one worthy of the Deacon's seat. Next year the same two gentlemen were pitted against each other, and again Mr. Gage took the persimmons. After this, Mr. Thompson retired from the field and Mr. Gage had but little opposition, (some years no votes being cast against him,) and from first to last he was elected to the responsible position of Town Treasurer thirty-three times! In 1880 the Democrats determined on a new deal, and though Mr. Gage had filled the office to the entire satisfaction of all people and parties, his official despatchment was determined on. Singularly enough Mr. Leonard Thompson, Jr. was selected as the candidate with whom to beat the then present incumbent, because it would take a strong man to pull through, and Mr. Thompson was the strongest in the party. After the lapse of thirty-three years these old antagonists—both worthy gentlemen and excellent citizens—again entered the arena, stripped and fought. This time Mr. Thompson was the winner, was elected Town Treasurer, and still continues in the office, having been reelected last spring. The singular thing about this bit of local history is the great length of time that intervened between their first and last contest and pull for the office. If any of our exchanges can beat this they will please make it manifest by the usual sign.

ROSE'S  
LIME JUICE.  
A delicious drink for the Summer months.  
GET THE BEST  
AT SMITH'S WOBURN TEA STORE.

Mr. G. M. Champney is in Lexington with his son.

We should just like to get our dexter flipper entangled in the hair of the pusillanimous scurrier that sold us these two cakes of "Centennial Compound Mucilage." It would be rather an unhealthy meeting for one or the other of us. Stick! So'll your aunt Hannah!

It's got so now that the police take folk to the lockup in horse-and-waggons. They are getting high-toned, else they think their customers are. A man came down from Reading last Tuesday afternoon, with his latitude and longitude all tangled up, and in a condition to suggest his having been struck by an early frost, when he was taken in hand by Chief Conn and officer McHugh and considerably conveyed to the lockup. Taken together, with the Chief leading the animal slowly and quietly along, it was rather an interesting procession, and greatly admired by the crowd.

Wednesday evening, August 24, the National Band will give a concert on the Common.

**PROGRAMME.**  
1. March, Light Guard. Reeves.  
2. Overture, Golden Necklace. Hermon.  
3. Cornet Solo, Adeline Polka. Keller.  
4. Cornet Solo, Adeline Polka. Keller.  
5. Cornet Solo, Adeline Polka. Keller.  
6. Cornet Solo, Adeline Polka. Keller.  
7. Cornet Solo, Adeline Polka. Keller.  
8. Cornet Solo, Adeline Polka. Keller.  
9. Cornet Solo, Adeline Polka. Keller.  
10. Cornet Solo, Adeline Polka. Keller.  
P. CALMAN, Jr., Director.

Alluding to the old Horn Pond House, the Arlington Advocate says "the establishment of the hotel at this point was due to the once famous locks of the Middlesex canal which were situated at this point." The canal was abandoned as a thoroughfare many years ago, and the locks mentioned by the Advocate, which were near the site now occupied by the pleasant residence of Mr. David Ronco, were razed. It ran up on the Pond side of Canal street, crossed Pleasant street, through the lot now occupied by the residence of Dea. Cragin, back of the library to Winn street. The residence of Mr. M. Littlefield stands over the same, and the great boulder from which the boys used to drive into the canal remains in its old place. There are memories connected with the Middlesex canal which we may revivify and print some day.

The assessors have completed their labors, from which we make the following extracts:

Population, . . . . .	11,453.
Gain over last year, . . . . .	429.
Polis, . . . . .	3,144.
Horses, . . . . .	716.
Cows, . . . . .	415.
Sheep, . . . . .	3.
Dwellings, . . . . .	1,708.
Children under 16 years of age, . . . . .	3,768.
Valuation, . . . . .	
Personal, 2,261,596.	
Real, 5,234,184.	8,195,680.
Valuation, 1880.	
Personal, 2,380,451.50.	
Real, 5,877,582.00.	8,258,033.50.
Gross decrease, 62,348.50.	
Commitment, . . . . .	
Tax on \$8,195,680 at \$15, \$122,935.35.	
" 3144 Polis, . . . . .	6,288.00.
" 1229,223.35.	

A fashionable wedding took place last evening at the Unitarian Church, Dedham, the contracting parties being Miss Lizette Blanche, daughter of Augustus B. Endicott, chairman of the board of selectmen, and the Rev. George H. Young, pastor of the Unitarian church of Woburn. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. A. Horton, minister of the Second church of Boston, assisted by the Rev. Seth C. Beach of Dedham. The bride was attired in cream-colored silk, with white satin slippers and long flowing, white lace veil. The pulpit in the church was embellished with plants, flowers and evergreens. After the ceremony which was witnessed by a large number of spectators, the invited guests were driven to the residence of the bride's father, where a reception took place. Among the guests were a large delegation of friends from Woburn. —Boston Advertiser, Aug. 18.

Our esteemed friend, Mr. Young, and his fair bride, will please accept the JOURNAL's assurances of its hearty wishes for their future prosperity, peace, and happiness.

For the Woburn Journal.  
"FORCING A CENTENNIAL."  
ARLINGTON, Aug. 16, 1881.

MR. EDITOR:—  
In your issue of Aug. 12 you have an editorial "to demonstrate" that Rev. Mr. Mills is right, and that Mr. Editor Parker "is in the wrong." Right about what—wrong about what?

July 5, 1881, an event was celebrated in Woburn which Rev. Mills thus spoke of in a centennial discourse:—"The venerable church, so signally blessed of God, has this day reached the summit of retrospection: her jubilee has come! One hundred years has elapsed," &c. "Now we [this church] have a sanctuary, which together with its furnishings, is valued at \$35,000."

In the article "Forcing a Centennial," published July 16, I claimed that Woburn Baptist Church was not one hundred years old, because the Society, (a) or its equivalent, which must be the support, was not formed until 1749.

That such a Society was formed is circumstantially proved by the following extracts from the sermon above spoken of:—"The Society opened their meeting house for public worship, on Sunday, July 20, 1794, though in a rough, unfinished state."

"The next year, July, 1792, Elder Peak resigned his pastorate, and three years after, in 1795, [the church] united with the Society in calling Rev. Elias Smith," &c.

The Registry of Deeds verify the above dates, and at the State House are the acts of incorporation of the Woburn Baptist Society in 1811, again in 1831, and the still later one changing Society to Church. Their researches have been necessitated by Mr. Mill's failure to notice in any way a second request for a copy of the original records of the Society. I know that the Society I referred to was formed as I first supposed. The highest authority in such matters in this State—the Supreme Court—has decided

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BREAD SODA and EXTRACTS  
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that a church, no matter of what denomination, extinguishes itself by withdrawal from a religious society. "In other words, a church separating for any cause, from a Society, loses its existence in the eye of the law, and the succeeding portion thus have no right to the name, furniture, records or property of the original church." (b) Such portion of a church as remained and acted with the original society is the original church, all claims to the contrary. This may be the entire body, down to a single member.

The Woburn people who joined the Cambridge church and society about the year 1790, and a large proportion of the Cambridge church, left the Society in Cambridge and joined the more prosperous one in Woburn in 1794-95, and thus became a new church. The old original mother society in Cambridge continued to exist, holding in its embrace several of the original church members, and for several years taxed itself to help pay for preaching in Woburn. Unmindful of its rights, or careless of them, the retiring members were allowed to carry away some of the property belonging to the Cambridge church, which has never been returned.

On the above grounds I made my first claim as to the age of the Woburn Baptist Church. On these same grounds Arlington Baptist Church, through the proper officers, propose to secure her full rights in the matter, and by presenting the entire record at the proper time and place.

Though you may have, Mr. Editor, "disposed" of the matter, and in a manner that will withstand the severest test of criticism, to your own satisfaction, there is still a future to it, one of the first stages of which will probably be taken in the next meeting of the Baptist Association.

As you deem your "argument unanswerable and conclusions irrefragable," that Mr. Mills is right in claiming that "The First Baptist Church of Woburn" is one hundred years old, I shall not contest further, but content myself with the above statement of my position and my reasons for taking it.

YOURS, RESPECTFULLY,  
CHAS. S. PARKER.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

(a) "\*\*\*\* or its equivalent," etc. Pray tell us, brother Parker, what this "equivalent" is, if it not the church itself.

(b) "Such portion of the church as remained and acted with the original society," etc. Here is the real point in issue: it is the rect on which friend Parker's argument rests to pieces. No part of the church—not a single member—"remained," etc. There were no dismissions; no withdrawal: the entire church changed its name and residence: that was all: hence, our friend's arguments are ropes of sand; his law inapplicable.


Again, we find in "A General History of the Baptist Denomination in America," etc., compiled by David Benedict, A. M. and published by Lincoln & Edmunds, Boston, 1813, the following, which we commend to the careful consideration of brother Parker:

"In Cambridge, adjoining Boston, there was a Baptist church as early as 1751; but it seems never to have flourished much, and after experiencing a number of painful vicissitudes, it was broken up, and the members scattered in different ways. In 1781, a new church arose of members in Cambridge and adjoining towns of Woburn and Lexington. THE SEAT OF THE CHURCH has since been transferred to WOBURN, and is now supplied by the labors of Mr. Thomas Waterman, from England."

Still further we quote for friend Parker's edification: In a subsequent edition of the same work, greatly enlarged and improved, published in 1856, is found:

"Probably no city (Boston) in the United States exhibits such a cluster of churches of this description as this ancient and flourishing capital. In all directions, on the lands, populous towns and villages have arisen, some of which are in close contact with the city. Indeed, to an observer not accustomed to the sight all appears one continuous city for miles around. In most, if not all, of these surrounding places, Baptist churches have been formed, all besides Newton and Woburn, within the present territory." \*\*\*\* "This brings us down to 1807. At this date, in all towns contiguous, or near to the capital, within the present bounds of the Boston Association, we find the churches only of Charlestown, Malden, Woburn, and Newton."

To conclude: brother Parker cannot show that the Baptist society of West Cambridge, Arlington, or Cambridge Precinct, as a regular ecclesiastical organization, ever had a legal, incorporated existence prior to 1811.

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## F. S. BURGESS.

For the Journal.  
**A Drive to the Circus.**  
GOODENOW HOUSE, FRANKCONIA,  
August 12, 1881.

Now, my dear friends, in Woburn and Montvale, don't turn your eyes with scornful haste to another column, with the words "circus indeed!" ejaculated mentally in a disgusted tone. At least, not until I have stated all the pros and cons of our visit to the circus, and given you a chance to judge fairly whether we might not have enjoyed ourselves greatly at the style of entertainment which used to be our habitual delight when children.

A circus, to be sure, in every day language, is a grand mixture of dreadful lemons, candy and peanuts, a band employed for the express purpose of increasing the number of occupants in all the lunatic asylums of the country, and coarse clowns. That is to say, these are the foremost features of the performance, most constantly and untiringly thrust before one's notice.

Now, the circumstances which attended the advent of Murray's circus at Bethlehem, were out of the general order of things, for us city people. Had we been in our city homes, or under a certain vine and fig-tree that we love in fair Montvale, the bare prospect of attending the circus would have been received with extreme disgust by all, unless I except the children.

But, surrounded as we are by mountains, piled close on one another, simple green fields and woods encircling us, naturally we are thrown on our own resources for entertainment, and our tastes gradually become quite juvenile. The amount of talent, great or small, which each person possesses is brought out, and even then we are occasionally, though very rarely brought to a standstill in our pastimes. So when a travelling band of negro minstrels, or a fair, or as in this case, a circus is announced, one and all rush to the entertainment, whatever it may be, as eagerly as last winter we flocked to see Salvini or some other celebrated personage.

At least this is the way events shaped themselves at the Goodnow House, and judging from appearances at the circus, it was much the same at the other hotels.

On the Tuesday before the Friday on which the circus was to appear, a notice was posted in the office, desiring all "who wished to go to the circus to sign their names thereon." The rapidity with which the list grew from two or three to fifty was something wonderful, and from that moment until the eventful day arrived the war-cry was "the circus."

Friday dawned dull and cloudy—and remained so, much to our disappointment. However, we made the best of it, and after an early dinner, filled the mountain stages drawn up before the piazza, with a gay and chattering crowd.

One of the principal attractions of this circus was the delightful drive which we were to have before we reached the circus grounds, for Bethlehem is some seven or eight miles distant from our hotel.

Altogether, we made a most imposing array, I assure you. First of all came the great coach, with its six horses heading the line, and filling ignorant city people with a wholesome respect for the man who could handle them all, at once. This coach was crowded both inside and out, not so much as a square inch being left for a change of position. This worthy head of a most worthy procession also carried a horn, with which it proceeded to announce our coming all along the road, attracting the attention of the inmates of the various farm-houses, who probably thought we were a side-show of "Murray's great and unrivalled circus."

Behind the six-horse team came the humble four-horse stages, and the meek two-horse teams, insignificant phaetons, double buckboards, wagon



## WINCHESTER.

Mr. Warren Foster has gone to Bristol, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Emerson are doing their vacation in Vermont.

Mr. Cole, who resides on its margin, an artist of note, will display a fine picture of Mystic Pond at the Mass. Char. Mech. Exhibition in Boston.

Mr. Thying, of the firm of Thying Bros. whose brother left him a few weeks since, will compromise with his creditors on reasonable terms.

The Grammar school building has been nicely painted up and new looks as fine as a fiddle. Mr. A. N. Jewett, a man who understands lead-and-oil, did the work.

Messrs. Newman & Sons, the popular florists of this town, had a fine collection of flowers at the opening of the Manufacturers and Mechanics Institute yesterday.

Mr. George P. Brown is still circulating between Winchester and Weymouth, and having a good time. If anybody deserves a good time, Mr. Brown does, for he is a hard worker and useful citizen.

Some of our people are returning from their summer vacations. A great many have been away for longer or shorter periods, and all have had good times. There are a few more to go yet.

Mr. S. C. Small, at the head of the Maine Veterans Association in Massachusetts, will attend the reunion of the organization at Portland on the 23. He takes great interest in the Veterans Association.

Something of a change has been made in our school arrangements. Mr. C. S. Harrington, only a few weeks ago elected Principal of the High School has resigned to accept the position of instructor in the Agricultural College at Amherst.

The temperance controversy continues with unabated heat and acrimony. The Star comes out almost weekly loaded down with communications pro and con, while the editors preserve a warlike neutrality commendable and praiseworthy. No doubt exists in the mind of any one that there is more rum sold in Winchester than there ought to be, and the efforts to suppress the traffic should be upheld and encouraged by all.

The last Sunday Herald contained an elaborate and interesting article on the waterworks of this town—the additional reservoirs, dams, etc. When completed Winchester can boast of a supply of water as abundant and pure as any place in the State, and the improvements are rapidly approaching completion. This will be appreciated by our people, for water is what we have stood in need of—water pure, sweet and good, and that we shall have.

(Springfield, Mass.) Daily Union.

## His Answer.

They tell to one of our citizens who was ambling toward his place of business, that he was approached by a lady acquaintance of the family, who said: "Mr. —, I hear you are suffering from rheumatism, is it so?" "Rumor 'tis m'n" said our citizen of few words as he proceeded on his way. Over in Chicopee our neighbors and friends have been having quite a time with rheumatism; but according to reports received by our representative the flurry is over, as the sure antidote has been used and thus commented upon: Mr. C. N. Manchester, Cutler street, says relative to his experience: I have used St. Jacobs Oil, and esteem it the best remedy for rheumatism I have ever tried. It acts like magic, and I cannot over estimate its value, when I pronounce it the greatest rheumatic remedy of the age.

## INTERESTING ITEMS.

Go west! certainly; go west. That is the country where they shoot a fellow up to the hurricane deck of a tornado, carry him five miles, and drop him into the top of a tree.

Diphtheria poisons the blood. Convalescents should take Hood's Sarsaparilla to neutralize and eradicate the poison matter.

At one of the western towns a man who made a balloon ascension last week intended to take up a thermometer with him, but this the people would not allow. They said the thermometer had already been too high as it was.

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The latest idea in stockings is to have a different colored one on either—that is, have one stocking red and the other black. This may do for summer picnics, but wouldn't there be an awful mix in a winter sleigh ride in case of a tipover, when you have to pull the girls out of a drift?

There is More Strength restoring power in a 50 cent bottle of Parker's Ginger Tonic than in a bushel of malt or a gallon of milk. As an appetizer, blood purifier and kidney corrector, there is nothing like it, and invalids find it a wonderful invigorant for mind and body. See other column.

After a while, when the aesthetics craze reaches Philadelphia, we shall hear the young ladies of that city quoting the Quakers, and when they have offers of marriages saying, "Yea, yea."

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The latest advices from the Sandwich Islands report that the lava thrown from Muna Loa is likely to destroy a portion of the town and harbor of Hilo. That is bad for Hilo, but it is hoped "Jack and the game" may be saved.

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## NORTH WOBURN.

The Woburn Brass Band will give one of their popular open-air concerts here, Friday, evening. The Band have hosts of friends in this section, and there is no doubt but what a big crowd will turn out to the concert.

The NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW for September opens with a profoundly philosophical article on "The Church, the State and the School," by Prof. William T. Harris. M. J. Savage treats of "Natural Ethics," showing that the principles of morality are rooted in man's nature, and are the products of evolution; consequently that they are not affected by the vicissitudes of dogma or religious creeds. The Hon. John A. Kasson gives a history of the "Monroe Declaration," and proves that the credit of formulating that cardinal doctrine of American statesmanship is due to John Quincy Adams.

The Rev. Edward Everett Hale writes of the Taxation of Church Property. He would have all churches taxed in form, but would exempt in practice those which by their charitable work help to lighten the public burdens. The other articles in this number of the Review are "Jewish Ostracism in America," by Nina Morais; "The Decay of New England Thought," by the Rev. Julius H. Ward; "Ghost Seeing," by Prof. F. H. Hedge; and "Factional History," by Essner Johnson. The latter article is a scathing criticism of Jefferson Davis's recently published historical memoir. Fifty cents per copy. Five dollars per year. Address, "The North American Review," New York, N. Y.

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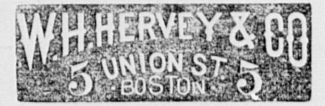
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GREETING:

WHEREAS a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and presented to said Court, for Probate, by George Walker, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be appointed and qualified as such executor or survivor on his bond pursuant to said will and statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petition is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Woburn Journal, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of August, in the year A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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Terms at sale.  
JOHN LYNCH, Executor of Will of Hannah Carroll.  
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Winchester, August 6, 1881.

I have also in my office, for the use of the public, Directories of New England, and the cities of New York and Boston; also the A. B. C. Railroad and Steamboat Guide, changed every week, giving the running time of all the railroads in New England.

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PARENTS, BE CAREFUL.

Domestic accidents are common to women, and some of them are very serious. Mrs. Warren, of South Boston, Elston County, N. Y., some weeks ago attempted to take from her child a pair of shears with which it was playing. A slight struggle ensued, in which the point of the shears entered Mrs. Warren's left eye, entirely destroying the sight. Her family physician did what he could, but intense and painful inflammation arose, which, by its progress, threatened the loss of the eye. Total blindness to a woman having the care of a household is an irretrievable calamity. In this strait, Mrs. W. applied to the well known and skillful Surgeon, Dr. J. J. Kennedy, of Boston, N. Y., who examined the injured eye by a very successful operation, setting aside all danger of further harm to the sight of the other eye. But owing to the pain and mental distress, her system needed a tonic and restorative medicine. To do this work the doctor prescribed "Kennedy's Favorite Remedy," which sustained its reputation and laid a sure foundation of health.

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## The Woburn Journal

THE SCUTTLED SHIP.

In June, 1880, the brig Polly Deems, Captain Job Payson, sailed from Boston for a port in Turkey, laden with cotton goods.

She was a new, tart little vessel, with plenty of storage room, and had accommodation for two passengers.

The crew consisted of the captain, mate, four sailors, a black cook and a cabin-boy.

Captain Payson was a conciliations, just man, who treated his crew neither to jokes or grog, but who lodged and fed them better than would five out of six of the masters sailing for a New England port.

"Old Joe," the mate, who was from the West, used to say he was a "hard man, but one you could tie to, in fair weather or foul."

His crew were picked men, and, with the exception of Dan, the cabin-boy, had been with him for years. This was Dan's first voyage, and he felt that the captain and crew eyed him with suspicion. He was on probation, and he felt that not a grain of favor would be allowed him.

Dan was a farm boy, who knew nothing of the world beyond the village in which was his mother's church. Shipboard, the sea, Europe, Turkey—here were bewildering ideas to burst at once on his narrow experience, scarcely wider than that of the house-dog sleeping at the barn-door.

"Keep your eyes open and your hands ready to see the work of the moment and to do it before the moment is over," was his mother's last advice. "For the rest, Daniel, ask the Lord's help. You will find him just as near to you in Turkey, as in your own home here."

Dan, in a hurry and excitement of getting under way, and of his new duties, repeated this advice over and over to himself. It seemed to keep his mother near him. Several days after, while he was carrying the dinner dishes into the cabin, he overheard the mate say:

"That boy is a clipper enough for a raw hand, Captain?"

"Aye," granted Captain Payson: "turns out better than I expected. I took him for my mother's sake. Widow. Quid friend of mine."

"Rather gentlemanly fellow, this passenger?" ventured the mate, finding the Captain in an unusually talkative mood.

"He is a gentleman, sir! One of the Farnalls of Springfield, Ill.—health. Doctor prescribed a long sea voyage. A gentleman and a scholar, Mr. Briggs?"

Dan, while waiting on the table at dinner, could not help noticing the passenger.

"Some of these days," thought the true born Yankee lad, "I too, shall be a gentleman and a scholar."

Doctor Farnall was a tall, lean man, carefully dressed, with sandy hair and mustache, but with eyebrows and lashes almost white. His eyes, too, were large and pale. They never met the eye of any other man fairly. Once, when Dan happened to look at him, he turned quickly away, and he glanced furtively and suspiciously at the boy, at times, during the rest of the dinner.

"Don't like him," thought Dan. "Looks sneaking and tricky, and not like a gentleman."

But Dan, of course, kept his opinion to himself. Even Job, the cook, snubbed the "raw hand," and tolerated no remarks from him.

Fortunately, the lad was not sea-sick. He learned his new duties quickly; was alert, neat, and always good natured. In the course of a week, Captain Payson had twice grumbled approval.

Dan worked harder than ever and between times, for recreation, when the passenger was on deck he watched him.

Dr. Farnall talked fluently and brilliantly, as even Dan's uneducated mind could perceive. But his talk was leveled far above the heads of either the captain or Mr. Briggs who listened with half comprehending admiration.

But there were days when the doctor was absolutely silent, ate nothing, and paced the deck wrapped in profound gloom, his light eyes darting suspicious glances from side to side.

On one of these days, Dan, going down just at twilight to find something he had left in his bunk, saw a tall figure, which he could not recognize, with a candle groping about among the chests of the sailors.

"Who's there?" he shouted.

The man came quickly towards him. The candle threw a yellow glare over his set face and glaring eyes. It was the passenger.

He caught Dan by the sleeve.

"Here, boy—what do they call you?"

"Dan."

"You are surprised to see me here, Dan?" with a guilty laugh. "Took me for a ghost, eh?"

"I beg your pardon, sir! I oughtn't to have called to you. Shouldn't have done it if I'd known it was you. But it took me aback, sir."

"Naturally, you need not be surprised at seeing me in any part of the vessel. I'm studying its construction as a scientific man. Captain Payson has been good enough to give me admittance to all parts of the vessel. You needn't shout in that disagreeable way again. It startles a nervous man!" and with a vague smile he blew out the candle and went up on deck, leaving Dan staring after him.

"It's not all right; or why should he, being a gentleman, make such a long-winded explanation to me, being a cabin-boy?" Dan said at last, shaking his head.

That night Captain Payson was alone on the quarter-deck, when Dan presented himself before him and saluted. His voice shook a little, for he was terribly scared.

"Old Joe" was a bigger man in his eyes than any king or potentate.

"Well! What's the matter with you?" growled the captain.

"The—passenger, sir."

"What have you to do with the passenger?"

"I beg your pardon, sir—but are you sure he isn't a thief, or worse?" gasped Dan, forgetting, in terror, the respectful speech he had planned, in which he meant to state the fact of Dr. Farnall's visit below deck.

The captain seized a rope's end. "Take that for your impudence!" he shouted, aiming a blow at Dan, who dodged it, and then blurted out the whole story.

"Searching among the bunks? Dr. Farnall?" muttered the captain in astonishment, dropping his weapon; and then he walked thoughtfully up and down. Suddenly he stopped before Dan.

"It's well you came to me and nobody else with the story," he said. Dr. Farnall is an eccentric man. If he wishes to examine the ship in any part, he is not to be watched and spied upon. So keep your eyes to yourself, and your tongue, too. If you go babbling this story about, I will flog you."

Dan crept off to his work feeling as if he had had a sound drubbing. Tears of rage and mortification stood in his eyes.

"Mother's rules do very well on land, but they won't work on shipboard," he muttered. "But there something that needs watching in that man, and I will watch him."

Nothing of moment happened, however, for a week. Then Dan observed that the passenger's days of fasting and depression grew more frequent. There were whole nights when he paced the deck until morning.

The crew joked together about him. One declared that he was a murderer; another, that he had escaped from a lunatic asylum; but the common opinion was that he had run away from a turgid wife.

"Dye mind," said Irish Jim, "how he eyes every ship we hail as though she might be aboard!"

Dan, alone, never joined in the gossip below decks about the mystery.

One day a little incident occurred which suddenly strengthened his suspicions.

Just before daylight, when passing the after hatchway, in the covering of which was a slide that could be opened and closed at will, Dan met Dr. Farnall coming up, covered with dirt and dust. There was an uneasy gleam in his eyes. He seized Dan by the shoulders.

"Do you know where I have been?" he said hoarsely.



## The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, AUGUST 26, 1881.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 195 Main Street, R. Noble, 156 Main Street, E. F. Cutler, Cummingsville, J. P. Tyler, N. North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

## THE PRESIDENT'S CONDITION.

More than a week has elapsed since the last radical change took place in the President's condition, according to the statements of his attending physicians, during which the announcement of his death at any moment would have been a surprise to no one. Since the date on which the last unfavorable symptoms were discovered, and which gave the country so much uneasiness and fear, he has grown weaker and his state more hopeless, notwithstanding the character of the bulletins issued by the White House physicians.

At midnight on Wednesday-Thursday a consultation was held by the doctors on the propriety of removing the patient to some place out of Washington. It seems he has been terribly anxious to be taken from there for some weeks, which anxiety has been of no benefit to him. It is the opinion of good doctors remote from the White House, and of common-sense people everywhere, that Gen. Garfield should have been removed within a day or two after the shooting; but Dr. Bliss would not consent. Now, when it is too late, that distinguished physician is willing that the trial should be made.

No one, who has an intelligent appreciation of the President's condition, believes he can live longer than a few days; if indeed he lasts more than a few hours. His stomach rejects nearly all it takes in; there are indications of a rapid breaking-down of the nervous system, and medication is no longer of any avail. Of course, he may live through it; but if he does, his escape will be due to a strong constitution rather than to any outside aid so far received.

## DIXING.

Friday morning, August 26, The latest news from Washington is, that Dr. Bliss has notified the Cabinet that the President's end is rapidly approaching. He can live but a few hours.

The N. E. Manufacturers and Mechanics Fair opened in Boston last Thursday week under the most favorable auspices. The building is the largest in this country devoted to the purpose of an exhibition of this kind, and is filled with goods from all parts of the New England States, the names of which are innumerable. The great Fair lasts through September and October, and will be visited by thousands of people from all over the Union.

Henry H. Faxon, Esq., the famous Quincy policeman, has issued a "broadside" which places the Board of Selectmen of that town in a somewhat unfavorable light. Mr. Faxon was removed from office of policeman for his action in prosecuting rum-sellers, and doing his whole duty faithfully; and he shows in his manifesto, that he was wrongfully and illegally displaced. He is a force in the temperance cause, and ought to be sustained.

Vice-President Arthur sensibly concludes that, in case of the President's death, there will be no occasion for a great rush for the helm of the ship of state by him. He thinks the country would be perfectly safe if the office were not immediately filled, which looks as though he is better than he has been rated.

From a proof slip from the Arlington Advertiser containing recent personal correspondence between the editor and Rev. Mr. Mills of this place, we rather think it is time for us to be getting out and away if we don't want to get hurt.

Typographical errors in dates crept into Brother Parker's letter printed in our last issue. Instead of 1749 it should have read 1794; and instead of 1792 it should have been 1795. The "copy" was all right.

## LOCAL NEWS.

**New Advertisements.**  
H. Bidder—Blood Syrup.  
S. R. Niles—Hygienic Wine.  
G. W. Nichols—Local.  
Josephine Lang—Music.  
J. E. Moore & Co.—Coal.  
F. H. Lewis—Music.  
P. E. Bancroft—Wanted.  
J. G. McGuire—Custodian.

—Officer Bryan McSweeney is away on his vacation.

—Mr. P. E. Bancroft wants a capable protestant girl for house work. Read his ad. "wanted."

—Quite a good many of our citizens attended the Caladonia picnic at Spy Pond yesterday.

—The First Cong'l choir, after a vacation of three weeks, will sing next Sunday morning.

—Dr. Lang has returned from his vacation of two weeks among the hills of New Hampshire.

—The machinery in Norris's mill broke down Wednesday, and caused some delay in the work.

—Quite a good many of our pilgrims are returning from seaside, mountain and rural retreat, and still there's more to follow.

—Capt. Converse has recently appointed Mark Madison first sergeant, and Joseph Davis third sergeant of Co. G, 5th Regt. V. M.

—Mr. Walter S. Cushing, of the Munroe Clothing House, returned last Saturday from Biddeford and Old Orchard, where he enjoyed a week of calm repose.

—The beautiful flowers and foliage plants that border the walk from Main street to Mr. Stephen Dow's fine mansion attract a great deal of attention from passers-by.

—Mr. Eli Cooper has got well settled in his new quarters at the depot.

—The paving of Main street will be continued when more funds come to hand.

—Mr. John Ferguson and wife have returned from a visit to St. Johns, N. B.

—Fred Hutchinson had his right hand badly crushed at Buel's shop last week Thursday.

—Dr. Hutchins, family, sister, and Mrs. Gerrish are taking their vacation at Salisbury Beach.

—Nantasket and Point of Pines are favorite picnic resorts for Woburn people. They just literally go it.

—Mace Ward, with Ronco, has been carrying one of his feet in a sling this week. A bad sprain of the ankle did it.

—Next Tuesday evening the Woburn National Band give a concert at the Highlands. Some very choice music may be expected.

—Absence from the chair editorial gives the local columns of the JOURNAL a lean look this week. This, however, will be remedied in the future.

—When buying your winter coat, be sure and call for the Delaware and Hudson Canal Co's Lackawanna coal the best in the market. John I. Munroe & Co. sell it.

—The St. Charles parish picnic at Hudson's Grove will be a large one if the weather is favorable. All sorts of amusements are being prepared for.

—Mr. William Kemmick has left town and gone to Fitchburg where he has found steady employment for his business. We wish him success.

—The weather this week has been the same old thing boiled down, concentrated, and dealt out in heroic doses. The present American "Old Probs" is a fraud from centre to circumference.

—The Woburn Phalanx are being put through their paces this week by Capt. Converse preparatory to the general muster of the Fifth Regiment at Framingham in September.

—The Woburn Band gave a concert at No. Woburn on Tuesday night to a fair audience, who were gratified with the fine music discoursed.

—An inmate of the Poor Farm escaped, or wandered, from that institution on Tuesday and was found near Boston and returned.

—The concert by the National Band last Wednesday evening was a capital one. Everything about it was first class, and the attendance was of the biggest kind.

—The horse and buggy lost by Austin C. Hunt was undoubtedly stolen, but the hot pursuit by him brought it home all right. The police are on the track of the thief.

—On Wednesday some young lads built a fire in an unoccupied house on Kirby Street, owned by Mrs. Barrett and but for the timely arrival of a neighbor the house would have been a party.

—A band of our people chartered Jones & Doyle's "Commonwealth," the largest and handsomest barge hereabouts, and went picnicking at Lincoln's Pond yesterday. They had a good day of it, "and here's many returns of the same."

—Saturday afternoon, September 3, the Phalanx will practice skirmish drilling at Wymann's field. Notwithstanding the great amount of running about, the boys all agree that it is not all work, for there is considerable fun about it.

—The Highland Hose Co. have challenged the Gilestree Hook & Ladder Co. to participate in a game of baseball, to be played on some convenient Saturday afternoon, which challenge has been accepted. There will be a rare sport, no doubt, when they come together.

—S. F. Trull, Esq., of the Board of Selectmen, has got back from a trip to the Isles of Shoals, one of the most delightful summer resorts on the New England coast. He managed to get pretty well browned up while away.

—We glean from the old records that flip for the Selectmen was once charged to and paid for by the town. What would the people say if such charges were now to appear in the accounts of our town officers? And yet some folks pretend to say that the world doesn't move.

—The talked-about railway to Cummingsville would be a good thing for Pleasant street. The large number of heavily-laden teams over that thoroughfare to Cummingsville cuts it up badly, and makes it rather rough for light carriages.

—The crop of pears in this vicinity will be simply immense this year. Who cares whether the Southern peach harvest is light or heavy?

—Within about six months, Woburn claims to have gained over 400 in population, and the city charter bill is now fairly buzzing in her ears.—Boston Post.

—And in the course of a couple of years or less that bee will hatch out a full-fledged city.

—Several Boston editors have moved to Woburn within a year, and we notice that an assessors' census of the town shows that it has a population of 11,453, which is several hundred in excess of the population reported last year by the government enumerators.—Boston Post.

—Will these "Boston Editors," of which there are quite a number in Woburn, have the goodness to rise and explain?

—Judge Converse has gone, or is about to start for Canada for a vacation trip. He will take in Montreal, Quebec, and the famous Canadian watering place, Saguenay, including a trip up the Saguenay river, one of the most delightful in the world. The Judge proposes to have a good rest.

—Wednesday was St. Bartholomew's observed by the church in memory of the holy apostle. Stained on Sunday, Aug. 24, 1572 (O. S.) by the slaughter of the French Huguenots, and marked in 1662 by the restoration of 2000 Episcopal churches in England to ministry of that church.

—About a year ago Mr. Nicholls, the jeweller, offered in the JOURNAL \$10 reward for any watch that he could not put in running order, and remain so. Scores of them have passed through his hands since then, and not a single application has been put in for the reward, showing that he has made good his promise. Bring on the rest of them.

—William H. Matthews and wife are visiting at Portland, Me.

—Henry Buckman, a former Woburnite, is visiting friends at N. Woburn.

—Mr. William Walton has been visiting his father at Cummingsville this week.

—A young son of Mr. James Gilbert, Church street, fell and broke his right arm last week.

—Mr. Joseph Sykes has lately returned from a visit to England, in good condition and sound.

—The communication of "L." was received too late for this issue of the JOURNAL. It will appear next week.

—Mr. James P. Tyler, an estimable citizen of North Woburn, and postmaster there, died at his residence last Friday afternoon after a long and severe illness, aged 64 years. He had a large circle of warm friends who will sincerely mourn his death.

—Mrs. Cronin has received \$1000 benefit from the death of her husband from the Mass. Independent Order of Foresters, of which Thomas H. Hill, Esq., of Woburn is the State Ranger. This is the first benefit that has been paid since the organization, some weeks since, of the Massachusetts Independents.

—The professional card of Miss Josephine Lang may be read in this paper, and we call attention to it. The JOURNAL has heretofore taken occasion to speak well of Miss Lang as a teacher of music, and the success she has met with has sustained the JOURNAL's words. She is a popular instructor, does excellent work, and has large classes, all of which is gratifying.

—The coal advertisement of Messrs. John I. Munroe & Co. makes its first appearance this week in the columns of the JOURNAL. As is well known by the public, they keep constantly on hand a full supply of all kinds of coal, which is promptly delivered to customers at the lowest prices. Square deal is the motto of this firm.

—The Railroad Commissioners, accompanied by Mr. Crockett, Superintendent of the Boston & Lowell Railroad, were here on a flying visit of inspection yesterday morning. They glanced into and over every room in the depot except one, and if anybody wants to know what room that was, why it was not inspected, let inquiry be made of Mr. Crockett.

—There is nothing in the Police Court proceedings this week to excite the public mind. Matters have been unusually quiet, for dog-days, a condition of things which it is hoped may long continue: John Doyle of Billerica, Thomas Braden of Lawrence, 47¢, 81¢ and costs; both committed for non-payment.

—William Manning and Thomas McLean, assault and bat, 85¢ and costs each; John M. Rogers of Waltham, larceny, 85¢ and costs; committed for non-payment.

—On Friday afternoon a professional gentleman, whose office is on Main street, reported to the police that his office had been entered in day-time and a large quantity of postage stamps stolen. Shortly after a young man giving the name of John M. Rogers, residing in Waltham, was arrested and acknowledged taking the property. He was in court Saturday morning.

—The National Band will perform the following programme at the St. Charles Parish Picnic, Hudson's Grove, Saturday, Aug. 27th, beginning at 4 p. m.:

1. March. 2nd Regiment. Reeves.  
2. Romanza. Spring Violets. Ripley.  
3. Cornet Solo. Air Variations. Read.  
By J. Collins.  
4. Selection. Serio-Comic-Jamboree. Beyer.  
5. Waltz. Les Sirenes. Waldteufel.  
6. Piccolo Solo. Canary Polka. Read.  
By J. Claffy.  
7. Selection. Irish Airs. Beyer.  
8. Finale. Melody. Southwell.

P. CALNAN Jr., Director.

—A special meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held on Wednesday evening at which a fair amount of business was transacted. It was the best of it: Ordered, that the Gamewell Company be paid for putting in the fire alarm, \$3000, for which a warrant will be drawn in the due course of business.—Marcellus Burnham and Abijah Sanborn were duly drawn as jurors for the September term of the Superior Court.

—Arrangements were made with the agent of the W. U. Tel. Co., whereby despatches are to be received at the Selectmen's rooms at 8:30 o'clock p. m. every evening, from Washington, concerning the condition of the President. They will be posted up at the Rooms aforesaid, and at the Telegraph Office—the Woburn Post Office.

—Mr. F. H. Lewis will soon resume teaching, his Fall term beginning on September 12th prox. He needs no recommendation as a teacher, for instruction obtained of him is the best that Woburn or surrounding towns afford. It is much cheaper in the end to secure the services of a master-hand for pupils—a professional instructor—who, like Mr. Lewis, has acquired a complete and thorough education in music, than a tyro in the business, for as far as the pupil progresses his education is sound, and there will be no necessity of "unlearning" and "beginning over again," as is the case with those who are imperfectly taught by unskilled teachers. The enviable reputation acquired by Mr. Lewis at leading Boston concerts last season places him in the front ranks of the best Boston musicians; and, the fact that he has for years been a teacher in the New England Conservatory proves beyond question his ability as a teacher, and that it is appreciated.

—Thomas H. Hill, Esq., Selectman and Clerk, has accepted an invitation to represent the Woburn Board at the Hill family reunion to be held at Billerica on August 31. The reason of this arrangement is this: In 1651 one Ralph Hill, a branch of the tree that is to be represented by survivors at this reunion, was one of the Selectmen of Woburn, which office, it is fair to conclude, he filled with credit, and satisfaction to his constituents. In 1653 he moved to what is now Billerica and was one of the first settlers of that town. He died in 1663. Thus the propriety of the office of Selectmen of Woburn being represented at the reunion by a present incumbent, and especially by one of the name of Hill, is apparent. Two hundred and eighteen years having elapsed since his death, our present member claims no close relationship to Mr. Ralph Hill, who filled the same position nine years after the organization of the town of Woburn. Mr. Hill will make a historical address and give a biographical sketch of Mr. Ralph Hill.

—The Grattan Echo is to be enlarged, the subscription price to remain the same.

—Mr. George W. Kimball has recently finished a nice house on Second street for Mr. E. E. Thompson; and is building one for Mr. Patrick Fallon on Broad St.

—The following we clip from *Among the Clouds*, a paper printed on the summit of Mt. Washington, under date of August 24, 1881: A party of five gentlemen and one lady from the Eagle Mountain House, Jackson, with Jonathan G. Davis as guide, walked yesterday afternoon from Chrystal Cascade through Tuckerman's Ravine to the summit. About four hours were required for the trip, including one hour's rest, the lady apparently standing the climb as well as any of the party. The snow arch in the Ravine was found to be still in fine condition. The weather was fair nearly all the way and splendid views were seen until within a short distance of the top. After resting an hour on the mountain the party left for the Glen on foot. The following are the names of the pedestrians: Chas. T. Gallagher and wife, of Boston; Gardner C. Brooks and L. Dana Chapman of Brookline; E. P. Dodge of Newburyport, and C. A. Jones of Woburn.

—After suffering several years with the Leucorrhoea, and no doubt, would have been only a lady induced to try Sulphur Bitters. Now I am well. Three bottles cured me.—Mrs. C., Newport, R. I.

For the Journal.

MR. PLEASANT, Me., Aug. 26.

My dear Mr. Editor:—From way up among the clouds I send you greeting. If you want scenery, here is the place to get it. A magnificent stretch of country on every hand makes a panorama worth journeying far to see. From Mt. Washington on the West to Portland on the East, the whole is one great picture of beauty.

We arrived on Thursday evening, making the run from Boston in about twelve hours. Leaving the P. & O. R. R. at Sebago Lake station, one sails over that expanse of water, coming at last to the Songo river, whose intricate windings are so tortuous that in going forward but a mile and a half the steamer threads a course of seven miles. The whole way the river is very narrow, and at almost every turn in the winding course, the tourist wonders if there be space enough to get the prow of the steamer headed properly without hitting the banks. The continuous line of reflected views in the sides of the stream gave us pictures of beauty at every point.

Leaving our steamer at Bridgton landing, we started by coach for this point over a sharply rolling country, till finally arriving at the foot of the mountain we began our slow climb up the roughest of roads. The drivers urged the horses almost constantly; but kindly tones mingled with the entreaties of the land seemed to have but little power. Two hours were consumed in making the last two miles. But it all pays, for when the fog, which part of the time has been very obstinate, kindly lifts, the scene is of surpassing loveliness and grandeur. Far, far away it is all mountain peak piled on mountain peak, with upward of forty lakes happily diversifying the view. Nature reveals her fitness by very frequently hiding the most lovely view in quickly gathered clouds of mist and rain; but soon the atmosphere clears and Kearsarge and Chocoran stand out as bold sentinels guarding the scene, while occasionally Lafayette and Washington doff their caps of cloud and show themselves in native majesty.

The Judge was right in his encomium of praise. It is all fine; he justly praised the hotel, the berries growing so abundantly at our very doors, the views both near and distant. While so fully enjoying it all our thought goes out to the friends at home, and though so far away, we mingle our anxiety with theirs at the last sad reports concerning the poor sufferer who languishes in the Capital. Well may we all pray for that life to be spared which means so much of hope for this American people. No man is infallible, but certainly the President has shown his purpose to point toward a just and wise administration. But if the end does quickly come, while it cannot be denied that our wisest and coolest heads will be filled with fear and dread, we will still hope that the hand of Providence will guide us as it guided our fathers, "In God we trust."

G. H. Y.

Prize Designs for Magazine and Book Covers.

The prize designs for covers for *Wide Awake* and other publications of D. Lothrop & Co. are now printing, and proofs of a few of them have been received. Miss Emmet's for the bound volume of *BABYLAND* is made up of two scenes and a little medallion, grouped with conventionalized flowers in such a way as to form a very original whole. At the top, on a ground of dull blue-green, is a band of children so arranged as to have almost a processional effect, although they are really playing about a hammock, in which one of their number lies; at the foot smaller children—veritable babies—sprawl and frolic, and gravely and solemnly devote themselves to their porringers, and the softest of baby eyes look from under the arched brows of the face of the medallion. The coloring is very refined, and so unlike anything which has ever been put upon the cover of an American book before that it is rather remarkable. Another cover by Miss Emmet is intended for the "Wide Awake Pleasure Book," and represents a young girl in a mob cap and short waisted gown, apparently arrayed for some rustic merry-making. The brightest color in this is the pale blue in the maiden's stockings. Miss Humphrey, who won the prize for the *Wide Awake* cover, indulged herself in stronger hues, and flung a few peacock feathers diagonally across the page beneath the picture of the bright-faced girl who is leaning on one arm and looking straight into one's face. Miss Emmet's young sister—one of the unsuccessful competitors for the prize—has made a design for the cover of "Outline Pictures for Little Paint Brushes;" C. H. Barnes has executed one in rather gay coloring for the *LITTLE FOLKS' READER*, and Alfred Kappes has exhausted all possible guises and puns about cats on a Japanese cover, which with its cat tails and pussy willow and clinging kittens, is meant for the "Cats' Arabian Nights," by Mrs. A. M. Diaz.

## MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.

MR. F. H. LEWIS

Will resume teaching.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1881.

Those wishing to secure their time for lessons will please send word before noon of the Saturday previous, Sept. 10.

F. H. LEWIS.

Woburn, - - Mass.

## LITERARY NOTICES.

The September issue of SCRIBNER'S is excellent all the way through. It is splendidly illustrated. The contents are: A Boy in Gray, Stars of the Sea, How to Build Ice-Yachts, The Misfortunes of Bro. Thomas Wheatley, A Russian Artist, Innovation in a Library, How I Kept House by Proxy, Victor Hugo as a Dramatist, The Society of Decorative Art, The Coniferous Forests of Nevada, The People's Problem, The Wheel as a Symbol in Religion, Peter the Great, The Hummingbird, Queen Titania, The Daughter of Henry Sage, Littenhouse, Topics of the Times, Communications, Home and Society, Culture and Progress, The World's Work, Brice-a-Brac. Address the Century Company, New York.

There are scores of beautiful pictures in the September number of ST. NICOLAS, besides interesting stories, sketches and poetry. It is a charming number, with which the young folks will be delighted. The frontispiece, "Tart's Egg," is very handsome, as are indeed all the illustrations in it. Only the most famous authors and artists are employed in making the ST. NICOLAS, and they do their very best work on it.

The publishers say the October number, which concludes this volume, "will be a remarkably fine issue."

OUR LITTLE OVES for September fully maintains its high character for excellence of illustrations and literary contents. No person can help loving this beautiful magazine for small people, and old ones appear to be equally delighted with it. The character of its art work is of the highest order: the pictures cannot but be admired. In choice of subjects and execution the illustrations of OUR LITTLE OVES stand unrivalled. This beautiful magazine ought to be found in every household where there are children.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

CONGREGATIONAL.—Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m.; Young People's Meeting at 6:00 p. m. Service of Praise and Lecture at 7:00 p. m. Preparatory Lecture on Wednesday evening and Ladies' Prayer meeting on Friday evening.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at the Rooms of the Association on Sunday at 4 o'clock, p. m., led by Thomas Madison. Bible Class at the rooms on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

UNITARIAN.—Services at 10:30 a. m. by H. B. Carpenter of Hollis St. Church, Boston formerly Orthodox minister at Bridgton, Maine.

BAPTIST.—Service at 10:30 a. m., and 3. Young People's Meeting at 6 o'clock, Praise meeting at 7 p. m. Covenant Meeting on Thursday evening at 7:45.

EPISCOPAL.—Eleventh Sunday after Trinity. At 10:30 a. m., St. Bartholomew's Massacre and its lessons. Sunday School at 12 m.; at 7 p. m., St. Bartholomew the educated and scholarly witness for Christ.

MONTVALL MESSIAH CHURCH.—Rev. J. H. Mason pastor. Preaching Sunday morning at 10:45; Sunday school at 12; prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

CATHOLIC.—Services at St. Charles church Main street, at the usual hours on Sunday.

Indian Troubles.

SANTA FE, Aug. 21.—On the 18th, Lieut. Taylor led a flight in the San Mateo mountains, captured a camp of the Indians and twenty horses. The Indians are in several parties moving southwest. Every available man under command of Gen. Hatch is either in the field or guarding settlements. The number of troops is too small, however, and people are anxious for self protection. A delegation of citizens of Socorro is here asking the governor to call out the militia for protecting settlements and mining camps.

Three volunteer companies arriving at Albuquerque for service should the Navajos become restless. So far the troops have had six fights with hostiles. During the raid some thirty people have been killed and the soldiers have lost about twenty in killed and wounded. Advice from Chulaville under date of Aug. 16, state that the Navajos are not on the war path. Some Indians and Mexicans had a row, in which two Indians and one Mexican were killed, but all is apparently quiet to-day.

WALNUT HILL.

The regular matches were open on the short range on Saturday: Mr. A. C. Adams scoring 114 out of a possible 120 points Mass. target off hand.

On Wednesday the regular long range match was shot: Mr. W. C. Gregory succeeded in beating the largest score ever made at 800, 900 and 1000 yards, 224 out of a possible 225; Mr. Wm. Gerrish of the same association making a 224 on this range but is outscored by Mr. Gregory, he used a Remington rifle the other scores are as follows:—F. J. Rabbeth, 220; J. F. Brown, 214; W. Howard, 211; H. T. Harrison, 209.

CLYDE.

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In Woburn Aug. 20, by Rev. J. Frank Winkley, John A. Johnson to Augusta Anderson all of Woburn.

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On Sunday afternoon, August 21, 1881, at the residence of her son-in-law, George A. Huber, 25 Pleasant street, Woburn, Mrs. Cynthia H. Wilshire, 56 years of age, died. She was born in Vassalboro, Maine, July 16, 1825, and was therefore a little more than 56 years old. Her remains were taken to Portland, Maine, on Tuesday, by her family, and interred on the Newhall lot in Evergreen Cemetery.

In Woburn Aug. 19th, Jeremiah McDonald aged 9 months.  
In Woburn Aug. 22nd, Della Flaherty, aged 8 months.  
In Woburn Aug. 24th, Geo. Welch, aged 1 year 7 months.  
In Winchester Aug. 24th, Clara L. Pierce, aged 13 years.

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## WINCHESTER.

Charles M. Rust is one of the exhibitors at the New England Fair.

A new 50-horse-power engine is being put into Whitney's machine shop.

Mr. Arthur Macy is building a sea craft to be used on a neighboring lakelet.

Several cases of simple drunk have been tried by His Honor, Justice Littlefield, this week.

The School Committee will meet to-morrow evening to elect a teacher for the High School.

Frank Goss has gone to North Woburn and set up business. He is a good blacksmith.

The employees of C. F. Jordan beat those of Warren Johnson at a game of baseball last Saturday.

Mr. E. H. Stone has got home from Buzzard's Bay.

Mr. S. C. Small has been attending the reunion of the Maine Veteran Association at Portland this week.

The resignation of Mr. Charles S. Harrington from the Principalship of the High School is very much regretted by our people.

The Catholic Society will hold a grand picnic to-morrow, Saturday, at Rock Pond Grove. It is to be given in aid of the Church.

On Monday Mrs. York's phaeton collided with Mr. Henry Andrews's buggy, on the West Side, and made some confusion, though not much damage was done.

There was a Gehenna of a dog fight here yesterday morning. Some meddlesome people have put the interrogatory: how long do our officers permit brutes to chew and tear each other before interfering?

## INTERESTING ITEMS.

The most disgusted man on record was the highwayman who tried to rob a mail bag on one of the star routes.

There is a good deal of human nature in a canary bird. He always begins to chatter as soon as the piano begins to play.

Those who have tried it confess that a large healthy mustard plaster worn on the back contains more heat than a heavy overcoat.

A Montreal paper prints the following item under the caption, "The usual mistake." "W. Sullivan shooting at a flock of birds, accidentally killed his wife."

A Salem lady with a taste for botany has discovered twelve varieties of golden rod. That which is the most beautiful grows on Marblehead Neck, on the slopes that overlook the sea.

Wise men mingle innocent mirth with their cares as a help either to forget or overcome them, but to resort to intoxication for the case of one's mind is to cure melancholy with madness.

There's no great loss without some small gain. If the cold weather sets back the summer planting, the sturdy farmer can console himself with the reflection that it also sets back the raid of its city relatives, which they delicately call a visit.

It is just as heroic to rush into a burning building and bring out a boot-jack as it is to bring a child from the same spot. But while a man will brag about the latter performance, he'll keep very shady about the former, and he feels foolish if it is mentioned to him.

There are some men in this world who are bound not to be cheated. Mr. Skindlin keeps a cat, and when he found the cat had est every rat in the house he went and got a few down at a stable and let 'em loose in the house. He wasn't going to support that cat in idleness. She'd got to earn her own living.

There is More Strength restoring power in a 50 cent bottle of Parker's Ginger Tonic than in a bushel of malt or a gallon of milk. As an appetizer, blood purifier and kidney corrector, there is nothing like it, and invalids find it a wonderful invigorant for mind and body. See other column.

Krupp, the great German gunmaker has been obliged, by the press of orders for rifled guns, to employ an additional force of 8000 workmen, bringing the total number of men employed by him up to 13,000. This does not augur well for European peace.

The New York Express (Tammany) tells us who do not make up the membership of Tammany Hall. They are not those who assessed Democrats last fall and put the assessments in their pockets, nor those who united with Sam Tilden to defeat General Hancock, nor yet those who are in the interests of Jay Gould.

Another astonishing instance of the ignorance of even educated Englishmen concerning this country occurs in the August number of the *Nineteenth Century*. Sir Edward Sullivan, writing on free trade, says: "Chicago, the capital of agricultural America, is rapidly becoming one of the largest manufacturing States in the Union."

A newspaper having printed that on a certain occasion "there was a large and respectable meeting," etc., the reporter was called to account for the statement when there was only one other person beside himself present. But he insisted that his report was literally true; for I was large and the other man was respectable.

The New York Herald says that the "county Democratic" organization "in New York are approaching a firm conclusion that there is no peace and no safety for the party till Tammany is extinguished and the disastrous consequences of the Tammany policy are averted forever." A faction that can count on 25,000 to 50,000 votes is not "extinguished" by newspaper paragraphs.

The New Orleans Times (Ind. Dem.) "begs all to take notice that there is nothing more utterly dead in the South than the doctrine of State sovereignty. The object for which the doctrine was held has gone glimmering. There is no sense and no purpose in holding it any more. The Federal Government has become imperial—always was, if men had had eyes to see. The Southern States have learned that fact, and have absolutely accepted it."

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AT THIS SEASON OF THE YEAR.

A. CUMMINGS.

150 Main Street, Woburn.

Father Scully of Cambridge, wishes all catholic children to attend the parochial schools. If their parents give them Sulphur Bitters they will have rosy cheeks and be strong and healthy. See another column.

The report of the failure of the peach crop this year seem to be well grounded for once. The latest estimates show that Delaware, which usually produces some four million baskets, will yield this year not more than one hundred and twenty thousand.

Nearly all the ills that afflict mankind can be prevented and cured by keeping the stomach, liver and kidneys in perfect working order. There is no medicine known that will do this as quickly and surely, without interfering with your duties, as Parker's Ginger Tonic. See ad.

Lord Lorne, in mentioning the mixture of races in Canada, says that when he first expressed a wish to see a real, full-blooded Indian, he was rather astonished when the Canadian who at once undertook to gratify the wish summoned the required real specimen of the aboriginal race by shouting: "Come here, MacDonald."

We are pleased to call the attention of our readers to the Ferrated Hygienic Wine, prepared by C. H. & J. Price of Salem. The virtues of iron are universally known, but in many forms it is unpleasant to the taste. The Ferrated Wine is not only very agreeable, but contains in addition to tincture of iron, the health-giving properties of many drugs, acknowledged as the most valuable tonics in the whole materia medica.

Edison must look to his laurels. At the Exposition of Electrical Apparatus just opened in Paris the Swan lamp was the great success of the occasion. It is simple in construction. It is a hand lamp with a globe. A wick of carbon gives out a soft light without heat, and it is said to be of indefinite duration. It is lighted and extinguished by turning a button. The lamp is an English invention. It is said that it is cheaper than gas, but far more brilliant. All Paris is in ecstasies over this lamp.

In a dreaching rain the other day Alice Relyea, a little girl of eleven years, was found lying on a rock about half a mile from Sleighsburg, a suburb of Kingston, N. Y., by some boys who chanced to stroll in the vicinity. Thinking her a tramp they amused themselves by throwing sticks and stones at her, but they soon found that the child was insensible, wet, cold and blue, on discovering who she was they carried her to her home, where she revived and was able to tell her story. It seems that her mother had been very harsh with her and had spitefully yelled to her, "Get out of this kitchen, you dirty little wretch; why don't you go somewhere else to lay around?" and Alice wandered away soon afterwards to the place of her discovery. In response to her mother's question on her return, she answered: "Why, I thought you nor papa didn't care for me any more, and I went into the woods where I could hear the birds sing and see the sweet flowers and sunlight."

At the battle of Savage Station on the 29th of June, 1862, an old soldier who had been and was as tough as he was plucky, was shot in a half dozen places. At night he was found at the foot of a tree bleeding terribly from his wounds. The writer happened to pass in that vicinity, ran across the battle-scarred veteran. He went to him and asked him what the trouble was, "I'm full of holes and the doctors have left me here to die; but I'm d—d if I'm going to do any such thing. All I want is some water and a few rags and I'll bet I'll be about again." Two days later the old fellow was comfortably fixed in a hospital. He had a bullet through the region of his liver, another hole clear through his lungs and four bad wounds in his arms and legs. And yet he survived everything and got well.

It was his pluck alone that saved him in the start. His emphatic determination not to die carried him through. The President appears to be made of just such stuff and the pluck that is in him may win.

Uncle Joe Brown of the County Clerk's office has a personal acquaintance with President Garfield running back for many years, and recently while discoursing the unfavorable tenor of his dispatches from Washington relative to his condition, remarked to a *Journal* reporter: "I have a personal knowledge of the fact that President Garfield has, for many years, been a victim to dyspepsia in its most aggravating form. It has been my fortune often to dine at his house, particularly on Sundays, and his abstinence was remarked by all strangers who partook of his hospitality. I have known him to sit at the table during a whole meal and not eat half a dozen mouthfuls. I remember on one occasion, in 1874, while at his table, he remarked: 'I suppose this dyspepsia will be the death of me yet.' 'God grant,' continued Uncle Joe, with tremor in his voice, 'that this prediction may not now be verified.'"—*Indianapolis Journal*.

## Remember, Young Men.

Young men who are intending to be farmers should remember that agriculture is both a science and an art, to be carefully studied, and practically carried out. The day has gone by when the ignorant can become successful farmers. Within the past ten years agriculture has undergone a great revolution, but the next ten years will see still greater changes than have yet been witnessed. The leading agriculturalists will be the leading men of the country.—*Prairie Farmer*.

## One moment please.

When winter is passing into summer and summer into winter again, your health should be especially looked to. The humors which have accumulated in the blood should be cleansed away and your system toned up to guard against bilious fever, or other sickness peculiar to change of season. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy will do this for you. Get a bottle now and begin using it at once. A long fit of sickness and a long doctor's bill may be the penalty of neglect. If your druggist hasn't it write to the doctor at Wadout, New York. Price \$1.00.

## An Esquimaux Baby.

Several canoe loads of Esquimaux came aboard while we lay here, some of the women bringing their little boys and girls and babies, without seeming to heed the weather. One little thing that the proud mother held up for our admiration smiled delightfully, exposing her two precious teeth. No happier baby could be found in warm parlors, with all that the loams in the world can afford in the way of soft fabrics and with loving attendants to anticipate every want. She looked gaily out at the strange colors about her from her bit of a small fur bag, and when she fell asleep her mother laid her upon three ears that were set aside across the canoe, the snowflakes falling upon her face, yet she slept soundly for hours while I watched her, and she never cried. All the youngsters had to get a little bread, which both fathers and mothers begged for them, saying: "The little fellow, little fellow." These people interest me greatly, and it is worth coming far to know them, however slightly. The smile, or rather broad, small grin of that Esquimaux baby goes direct to one's heart, and is not likely to be forgotten. When the features had subsided into perfect repose, the laugh gone from his eyes and the lips closed over his two teeth I could make his sweet smile bloom out again as often as I nodded and chirruped to it. Heaven bless it!—*Cruise of the Corvina*.

## DIPHTHERIA!

THE PROSTRATION which follows Diphtheria, and the persistency with which it clings to the patient, are well known to all who have had any experience with this terrible disease.

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Margaret Cahill, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased:

GREETING:

WHEREAS a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by George Walker, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of August, in the year A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1881.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 185 Main Street, R. Robie, 106 Main Street, E. F. Carter, 106 Main Street, J. P. Tyler, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

## THE PRESIDENT.

The favorable change in the President's condition again fills the public mind with hope. He is not out of danger; his case is still a critical one; but having rallied from what was believed by all to be a hopeless state, a week ago, and no relapse having occurred in that period, there are strong reasons to believe he will recover.

At the date of our last issue the nation was wrapt in gloom. His physicians had given the President up, and by them it was announced that he could not hold out more than a very few days. The close of the week was the utmost limit given. But contrary to all expectations and to the great surprise of Dr. Bliss, the patient revived, passed the crisis, rallied, and has continued to very slowly improve ever since.

The despatches of Secretary Blaine, on which the world have come to rely more implicitly than on the bulletins and say-soes of the surgeons, are more encouraging, and afford glimpses of hope.

It is proposed, if the President's condition should become no more critical, to remove him, in about a couple of weeks, into a better atmosphere, and where his chances of recovery may be improved.

God grant that the hopes of the nation may be realized in the President's complete restoration to health and vigor.

At an early hour on last Saturday morning Mr. Eugene F. Forman, editor and proprietor of the *Lynn Register*, fell from a fourth-story window of the Sagamore Hotel in that city, and was fatally injured. He had fallen asleep over a book he was reading after returning from the *Bee* editorial rooms, and suddenly waking up, by some means lost his balance and fell to the pavement below, where he was found by policemen. He died in great agony on Saturday evening. Mr. Forman was a bright journalist, a keen writer, and successful publisher, and his death will be deeply regretted by the guild and a large circle of friends in Lynn.

The opening of the fourteenth exhibition of the Mass. Charitable Mechanic Association has been postponed to Tuesday, September 13, at noon. This is done to assure the full completion of the elegant new building on Huntington Ave. Exhibits can now be sent to the building where they will be taken care of by the officers and attendants.

The Greenbackers of this State held a convention at Worcester last week and nominated a full ticket. Israel W. Andrews of Danvers has the honor of being the standard-bearer. He is said to be a very good man, but very wild on the financial question.

These are rather poor times for the growth of Greenbackism.

Sec'y Blaine's management of State affairs during the retirement of President Garfield from the head has won the highest praise from all sides. The country is just beginning to appreciate Mr. Blaine, and the more he comes to the front and is seen of men, the more confidence they have in him, and the better he is liked.

Mrs. Lucy Stone is stirring up the sisterhood on the voting question, and urging them to a manly discharge of their suffrage duties.

## LOCAL NEWS.

## New Advertisements.

N. W. Ayer & Son—Iron Bitters.  
R. W. Ayer—Music.  
John Howarth—Show.  
Ly. Hall—Amen.  
Town of Woburn—High School.  
Miss Bannett—Mist.  
L. Thompson—To Let.  
Cyrus Peabody—Mist.

Mr. Leonard Thompson has a card in this paper, to what attention is called.

Chief Conn has aided us in the way of certain names and figures this week, for which we thank him.

Capt. Tay has the management of the restaurant at the N. E. M. & M. I. Fair in Boston. He is one of the best caterers in the country.

The Lyceum Hall Association will hold their annual meeting for the choice of officers in a room of the building on September 6 at 4 o'clock p.m.

Mr. John C. Buck and Mr. Charles Buss, with families, returned from their North Conway and White Mountains visit on Saturday last. They had a very fine time while away.

In about a week from now and thence on for a couple of months will be the best season of the year for visiting the White Mountains. "The woods are full of" tourists at that time of the year.

This business ought to be looked into. There seems to be more of it than the law allows: on Tuesday morning an infant was found on the steps of the house of R. P. Turnbull at Montvale. It was taken to the almshouse.

Mrs. Robie, the sweet singer of the Unitarian choir in this village, returned from a very pleasant sojourn at Hull a few days since. The worshippers at that church will hail her return to the "singer's seat" with pleasure.

Mr. E. H. Haggens, engineer on the B. & L. R. R., and family returned last Saturday from a few week's sojourn at Newport N. H. Mr. Haggens took his locomotive last Monday after being off duty several months from sickness.

—This spell of very hot weather has had a tendency to incite the feet of our people beachward this week.

—The Baptist people will probably turn out in force next Sunday to hear their old pastor, Rev. Noah Hooper of Exeter.

—Venor is clean off the eggs again. His predictions for the last days of August have been as wild as those of the American "Old Prob."

—Mr. Webster, organist at the Baptist church, and teacher, has returned from Nova Scotia to his home at Medford with his wife and things.

—Mr. Amos Cummings has put in an appearance here after circulating around, for several weeks, among the choice summer resorts. He is getting a good ready for a big fall trade.

—Candidates for admission to the High School "will learn something to their advantage" by perusing a card in this paper from the School Committee of Woburn. The examination is to be held tomorrow.

—Rev. Mr. Young writes from the hillsides of Maine: "Glorious place for building. I shall believe in Maine as a sort of main chance after this. Views of the finest; hotel A No. 1; pleasant company." (Mrs. Y.) Go it!

—The Phalanx under command of Capt. Converse will attend the muster of the Second Brigade, M. V. M. at Framingham which commences on the 6th and ends the 10th. It is expected that the whole company will turn out. That they will acquit themselves handsomely we all know.

—It is the unanimous verdict of the Journal that Mr. M. S. Seelye, Town Clerk, is a gentleman, and an excellent public officer. We want it distinctly understood too, that the whetstone he gave us has nothing to do in forming and promulgating this favorable opinion of him.

—Mr. F. S. Burgess is selling real, genuine 40-inch black cashmere at 50 cents a yard! This is a big bargain as the ladies will see at a glance. He is also selling navy-blue flannel very cheap; indeed, Mr. Burgess is rushing off his present stock at low figures preparatory for the fall trade.

—Pitch right in now and take your oysters ad libitum, for the imperial R has reappeared in the month, and the barrier to oyster eating is removed. Those who have money or credit can wade right in and fill up on the luscious bivalve, though we have not heard of anybody who has suspended operations on the oyster on account of the absence of the R.

—The popular butter and cheese establishment of Mr. A. M. Smith, on the corner of Pleasant and Bennett streets, will sail right along as heretofore, though the proprietor will divide his time between it and his Boston store. His numerous patrons will be glad to know that no change will take place in the Pleasant street store.

The following item announcing an important step taken yesterday by our fellow-townsmen is clipped from the *Boston Post* of Wednesday: "On Thursday next the Hon. John Cummings of Woburn will be married to Mrs. Mary C. Hall, widow of the late Dr. A. B. Hall, M. D., of Boston. The ceremony will take place at the residence of the bride's father, Rev. E. P. Cowles, of Ipswich seminary fame."

—Our public school are literally free ones. Books, furnishings, and everything pertaining to them go without money and without price. There are no longer any twigs in the way to an education by the youth of Woburn, and if they fail to secure it the fault lies with themselves or parents. Our schools are not only free, but it is conceded on all hands that they lead in excellence and efficiency.

—Herbert Frampton, clerk of Mr. Leonard Thompson, possesses agility and pluck. Driving Mr. Thompson's team on Monday, a collision with another took place in front of Horton's, and Frampton was thrown between the horse and vehicle. He got out of there with no unnecessary delay, at the same time holding fast to the animal, and though the wagon was somewhat smashed he gained his feet and mastery of the situation without personal injury. It was quick work and good.

—As choice a piece of steel engraving as is often met with is the great building of the New England M. and M. Institute, on Huntington Avenue done by Mr. William Miller of Woburn, for Messrs. John A. Lowell & Co. of Boston. It makes a very handsome picture, the engraving of which on steel by our fellow townsman is in the highest style of the art, and to an uneducated eye seems perfect. Mr. Miller has been in the service of the American Bank Note Engraving Company for some years, and is a skilled hand at the business.

—The National Band will give the following programme at their concert next Wednesday evening, September 7th:

PROGRAMME.  
1. March. Front Section. Reeves.  
2. Overture. Fiddler of St. Waast. Reeves.  
3. Cornet Solo. Anna Polka. Legendre.  
By J. Collins.  
4. Medley. Comic. Beyer.  
5. Waltz. Concert. Emma.  
6. Pizzolo Solo. The Wren. Danare.  
By J. Claffy.  
7. Romanza. Departed Days. Louis.  
8. Overture. L'Elegance. Pettie.  
9. Selection. Irish Airs. Weyren.  
10. Finale. Neave.

P. CALNAN Jr., Director.  
—Miss M. L. Bancroft is now ready to arrange with pupils intending to take lessons of her the approaching season. A high musical authority in Woburn says she is the best lady musician in the place, being the only one known to have pursued a regular systematic course, with untiring energy, during the last six years. She now presents herself a claimant for a share of patronage. This is not her first season as a teacher, as her successful and admiring pupils of last year will testify. Though there are many teachers announced for the season now about to begin it is thought that the outlook for a certain class of them is more than ordinarily favorable. The public are beginning to discover that the best is the cheapest in the end. Of our present teachers Miss Bancroft and one or two others have received thorough instruction from Mr. F. H. Lewis, the professional teacher here. With these leading names, familiar to our people, there is guaranteed satisfaction, as scores can subscribe to.

—It is about the nastiest weather extant. Sticks so like blazes.

—Dr. Graves is having quite a job of paving down on his premises.

—Chief Engineer Littlefield is having a fire alarm put into his new house.

—Munroe is having a great run on linen dusters, summer pants, and straw hats.

—The Woburn Brass Band will give only one more concert. Wish it was a dozen.

—Lyceum Hall has recently been fixed up in nice shape. It now makes a pleasant room and a large one.

—Dramatic, concert and other companies are beginning to canvass the ground in Woburn for the coming season.

—Shifting engine, Milo, derailed itself on Thursday noon and caused some little delay in the yard. It was got back in good shape.

—An alarm from box 32, Nichols's Corner—Thursday night, called out the fire department to the burning of three bathhouses at the pond. All were destroyed, Mr. Jos. Melindy losing a boat. Incendiary.

—If our reading of the almanac is correct the Woburn schools will resume work on next Monday. Mr. Superintendent Davis and the large corps of teachers are about ready for the battle, and pupils are counting the remaining few hours of play.

—After three weeks or so of delightful sojourn at Northport, Brunswick, and other pleasant places in Maine, Mr. M. W. Strout and family returned to their home in Woburn on last Saturday evening. They enjoyed every moment of the time spent away from the roof-tree.

—Mr. Thomas Marrinan, the accomplished leader of the Woburn Brass Band, has entered into a brief engagement with the Little Cornette Opera Company of Boston, and has gone on a trip to St. Johns, Halifax, and other leading ports in the Provinces.

—Mr. Benjamin Champney of this place was the second President of the Boston Art Club, and served during the year 1857. The Club was organized in January, 1855. Its elegant new building, on the corner of Dartmouth and Newbury streets, will be ready for occupancy on January 1, next.

—On Monday evening our friend Hoskins, who appears to be in active demand as driver and guide for beach and picnic parties, took Deacon Samuel Cook, family and friends down to the beach with one of Jones & Doyle's best outfits, and accomplished the whole business in a workmanlike manner. None of them can beat Dave to any alarming extent.

—Last Saturday Mr. J. W. Hammond returned from a visit to Sharon Springs, N. Y., well rested and recuperated. He spent about three weeks at that popular resort, during which time he made good use of the famous sulphur springs there located from which he derived a good deal of benefit. Mr. Hammond made a business trip in New York city, and is now ready for full work.

—The picnic in Hudson's Grove by the St. Charles parish, last Saturday, was a capital one. The delightful grove was alive with people of all ages all the afternoon and evening, while the amusements furnished were highly enjoyed. In the evening there was a fine illumination of the grounds which attracted large crowds of people. Hudson's Grove is a beautiful spot for such gatherings, and its proximity to town adds much to its desirableness.

—Judge Littlefield of Winchester wears the judicial ermine in Woburn this next week; in other words, he takes Judge Converse's place on the docket during that gentleman's absence in the wilds of Canada. The favor will be reciprocated as soon as he returns when the worthy people of Winchester will have an opportunity to see what good law and genuine courts are like. Judge Littlefield will take his rest and recreation as soon as he is relieved from the unpleasant duty of dealing out justice to the Woburnites.

—Those people who contemplate taking lessons on the piano this season will do well to read the card of Mr. R. W. Lucy in this paper, who proposes to instruct classes a portion of each week during fall and winter. He is organist and director at the Unitarian church in this place and a thorough musician. He has a studio in Boston; is a member of the Bay State Concert Company, and stands away up among the best in the profession. During the season Mr. Lucy will give piano-forte recitals for the benefit of his pupils. He can be consulted on each Saturday afternoon at the Unitarian church.

—Thanks to the courtesy of Mr. Gilman F. Jones we enjoyed a delightful drive in, about and among the outskirts of our town last Monday. Tackling up one of the best teams in Jones and Doyle's well-stocked stables, that gentleman invited us to a seat in his carriage, which was gladly accepted. We were driven to the West Side over smooth, hard roads equal to the best in Massachusetts; all through and around the great farm of Hon. John Cummings, of which more anon; along pleasant roads on the skirts of rural Burlington; in sight of the church spires of Lexington, and over hill and down dale "to the place of beginning," as conveyances say in their deeds. During the drive two points were settled on in our mind, viz: for beautiful and picturesque scenery Woburn and its surroundings is unsurpassed; as a traveling companion Mr. Jones is about as pleasant as they make this season. Of course, thanks are understood without expressing them here.

—Judge Littlefield of Winchester fills the seat of Judge Converse plum full. During the week of his judicial service here he has done the square thing by all concerned. In the discharge of his official duties he knows no north, no east, no south, no west. He has no friends to reward, or enemies to punish, but drawing the conventional bandage over his mental optics, the Scales of Justice hang perfectly plumb from his judicial hand; James McCool, larceny of clothing from the laundry establishment, Salem street, three years ago, placed on probation on payment of costs. Daniel Ryan, Patrick Kelley, Patrick McCarthy, drunk, \$1 and costs. A. McHugh, assault and bat., \$1 and costs. Patrick Keating, dis. peace, \$1 and costs. Ellen Ryan, dis. peace. Thomas Kennedy, dis. peace. Deference until Monday; Ellen Deane, fornication, dis.; Sewall Taylor, cruelty to animals, dis.; Patrick Forner, dis. \$1 and costs.

—It has been prodigiously hot this week, and ice-dealers have had their hands chock-full of business.

—Dog-days end on next Monday night at 12 o'clock. After which a change in the weather may be expected, sooner or later.

—Eddie J. Hart has returned from his annual trip to the mountains, and his description of scenes and places is very interesting.

—The Library officers are delving among, arranging, and putting in order the mass of old records and things which the Library contains.

—Mr. Thomas H. Hill, Clerk of the Board, attended the Hill reunion at Billerica on Wednesday, and contributed his quota to the occasion.

—The dry weather is robbing the Library lawn of considerable of its beauty. Or, maybe, it is Mr. Allen's dog bugs that are doing the mischief.

—There is no public institution, implement or thing so highly prized by our people these hot days as the street sprinklers. They are truly a boon.

—The flagstaff which has for some time adorned the Central House has been taken down. Its absence rather improves the appearance of the house.

—Capt. Converse will please accept the JOURNAL's thanks for the proper documents with which to gain admittance within the Brigade lines at the Framingham muster, to be held next week.

—Holders of season tickets on the B. & L. R. R. are rather inclined to kick against the new order for punching them—the tickets, not the holders. Well, what are you going to do about it?

—Mr. S. T. Brigham's crew are touching up with brushes and paint several of the principal buildings on Main street, and making them look the better for it. It has been pretty hot weather for a week or so.

—By referring to the list it will be seen that a large number of persons pay more than \$100 tax in this town. There are some pretty heavy figures in the list, and the aggregate foots up to quite a mint of money.

—The Highland Hose Company will get possession of their hose cart this week, it being now in the hands of painters. On Thursday evening next they propose to celebrate the event by a band concert with all the trimmings, including a parade, and a dance for aught we know to the contrary.

—The Parker party, consisting of T. Marvin Parker and family, J. H. Parker and family, and Mr. Cook, returned last Wednesday from their trip to Maine. They had a glorious season of it. Mr. Cook is very, very proud. He shot a deer in the pine wilds of the Pine Tree State, and Mr. Fowler is setting up the head of it.

For the Woburn Journal.  
Among the Canadians.  
St. Louis Hotel, Quebec,  
August 28, 1881.  
Mr. Editor: There are those who extol the pleasures of riding in a carriage and "urging the jaded steeds along," but give me instead a ride in a first-class railroad car, with a fine locomotive ahead and a careful man at the "throttle." How we spin over the gleaming track! The mountains, villages, and quiet rural scenes pass by like the unrolling of the panorama in a show, and at the end our "iron steed" breathes in Montreal as easily as when he started with us in the morning three hundred and twenty-six miles distant.

Well, we have "done" Montreal; have "shot the Rapids," taken a bird's-eye view of the "Northern Queen" from the summit of Mont Royal; have seen the Grey Nuns, the Great Cathedral, with its six-foot bell weighing 24,780 lbs., and here we are parlaying with the French and eating four meals per day, according to the fashion here, at the St. Louis, the "crack" hostelry of Quebec.

What fine views one gets here, to be sure, from "Dufferin Terrace"! The classic ground of the "Plains of Abraham," of course, we have been over. We have also stood at the bottom of the Falls of Montmorency, and looked up, up, up through the rushing waters 240 feet to the top of that finest of all cataracts, except Niagara, this side of the Sierras; have seen the Citadel and the "red coats," and heard the drum whose roll is heard round the world, and tonight, as I write at my open window, the chimneys in the tower of the great French Cathedral near by send their giant, yet sweet, smoke floating in on the soft evening air, giving a feeling of quiet, restful, religious repose.

On Tuesday next we start from here on a trip to the Saguenay, our "Eastern Yosemite," of which I may send you an account. Until then, good-bye.  
RICKRAF.

—The tobacco store of Mr. H. Porter, 137 Main street, is an institution peculiar to Woburn. It is also *auz generis*. Clean, nice, tidy, it is a popular resort for lovers of the weed, and for a good many who do not thus indulge. It likewise partakes somewhat of the character of a club-room. Men gather there, especially on winter evenings, and discuss current topics, exchange bits of local news, tell stories, and enjoy themselves. Everything is quiet, orderly, respectable. The tobacco is of the best brands; the pipes clean and enough of them; and the cigars unsurpassed for flavor. But the social characteristics of the place is what Woburn claims a patent on. In respect of the respectability of its frequenters there is nothing that compares with Porter's anywhere.

—Howarth's Hibernica will give one of their pleasing entertainments in Lyceum Hall next Wednesday evening. Don't confound this company with the one that gave a show here last Monday night—"Spread the Light" Mirror of Ireland. Mr. Howarth has been here before, and gave all he advertised and more too. He brings this season new people, new scenery, and we assure all that he will give a meritorious performance. This is a notice from the *Times*, Hamilton, Ont.:

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An esteemed correspondent of the JOURNAL at North Berwick, Me., writes that the thermometers in that delightful village registered 150° on the shady side of an ice-house last Tuesday and Wednesday. Of course, the statement is very wild and reckless, and was made on the basis of personal inconvenience and discomfort probably.

On last Wednesday evening Mr. John Brauer of Eastern Avenue fetched us down a basket of very fine pears gathered from the trees on his pleasant place, for which we trust, we were duly grateful. There were three kinds in the basket, but as the names were of secondary importance to us, they were not remembered by us, though Mr. Brauer will be, liberally, when our ship-load of gold and diamonds come in.

The *Boston Evening Transcript* of last Saturday contains the following complimentary notice of our townsman, Mr. Albert Thompson, which is well deserved: "Mr. Albert Thompson is studying landscape and cattle at Woburn. His fair picture at Williams & Everett's is one of the best he ever produced. The painting of a cow has never been better accomplished by an American, as is evidenced in this work."

On Monday last the dignitaries of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Company visited Woburn on their annual inspection tour. The party consisted of C. E. Bartlett, Manager; J. F. Crockett, Master of Transportation; Judge J. G. Abbott, E. C. Gov. Thomas Talbot, T. Jefferson Coolidge, Wm. Burke, Edwin Morey, Frederick E. Clarke, Directors; and C. E. Cram, Clerk.

For the Woburn Journal.  
Among the Canadians.  
St. Louis Hotel, Quebec,  
August 28, 1881.

Mr. Editor: There are those who extol the pleasures of riding in a carriage and "urging the jaded steeds along," but give me instead a ride in a first-class railroad car, with a fine locomotive ahead and a careful man at the "throttle." How we spin over the gleaming track! The mountains, villages, and quiet rural scenes pass by like the unrolling of the panorama in a show, and at the end our "iron steed" breathes in Montreal as easily as when he started with us in the morning three hundred and twenty-six miles distant.

Well, we have "done" Montreal; have "shot the Rapids," taken a bird's-eye view of the "Northern Queen" from the summit of Mont Royal; have seen the Grey Nuns, the Great Cathedral, with its six-foot bell weighing 24,780 lbs., and here we are parlaying with the French and eating four meals per day, according to the fashion here, at the St. Louis, the "crack" hostelry of Quebec.

What fine views one gets here, to be sure, from "Dufferin Terrace"! The classic ground of the "Plains of Abraham," of course, we have been over. We have also stood at the bottom of the Falls of Montmorency, and looked up, up, up through the rushing waters 240 feet to the top of that finest of all cataracts, except Niagara, this side of the Sierras; have seen the Citadel and the "red coats," and heard the drum whose roll is heard round the world, and tonight, as I write at my open window, the chimneys in the tower of the great French Cathedral near by send their giant, yet sweet, smoke floating in on the soft evening air, giving a feeling of quiet, restful, religious repose.

On Tuesday next we start from here on a trip to the Saguenay, our "Eastern Yosemite," of which I may send you an account. Until then, good-bye.  
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## The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1881.

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## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

## THE PRESIDENT.

On Tuesday last President Garfield was removed from Washington to Long Branch, and made the journey of two hundred miles without any apparent bad effects. The change was made at his earnest request, he having, for some weeks, been exceedingly anxious to get away from the White House. The removal was not in accordance with the judgment of his physicians, but undertaken as a last resort. It was believed the President could not possibly survive longer than a few days where he was, and he could no more than die if the trip was undertaken. Had his wishes been complied with and the change made some weeks ago, when he begged so hard for one, but denied by the physicians, it would doubtless have been much to his benefit.

The President stood the journey well, though the day was very hot, but his condition has not improved since his arrival at Long Branch. Wednesday was the hottest day of the season at the place, and it was hoped that a favorable change of temperature would bring relief and strength to the patient.

On the whole, the condition of the President is far from hopeful.

## A SEASON OF PRAYER.

In accordance with the recommendation of our esteemed Governor, His Excellency, John D. Long, to the people of Massachusetts, the citizens of Woburn held a union prayer meeting at the Congregational church between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock, a. m., on Thursday, in behalf of our beloved President. Dr. March being ill, Rev. Mr. Young, pastor of the Unitarian church, opened the meeting with a fervent supplication to the Throne of Grace for the recovery of the Nation's Chief Magistrate, and led the exercises which followed. These were of a solemn and impressive character and suited to the sad occasion. There were also services of prayer at the Methodist church. Both houses held large congregations.

All business places were closed at 10 o'clock, and remained so until noon.

The attention of our readers is invited to the attractions offered by the New England Manufacturer's and Mechanic's Institute, at their new building on Huntington Avenue. This Grand Exhibition is contributed to by over one thousand exhibitors, from all parts of New England, comprising nearly every branch of manufactures, many of them in active operation, showing methods of making Boots and Shoes by machinery, Pottery, Glass manufacture, Looms for Weaving, etc., etc. All classes of Sewing Machines, Artistic work of all kinds. It is estimated that there are in all ten acres of shops and factories. At night this Exhibition is lighted by thirty electric lights, and three thousand gas burners. Horse-cars, from all railroads, make connections direct with the Exhibition. Excursions will be arranged for from all the principal cities and towns in New England, and the total attendance is estimated at not less than a half a million.

The President has discharged three of his physicians, Reymann, Barnes, and Woodward, which is the most hopeful sign we have seen in his case for weeks. We fear it is too late to save his life, though the step is indicative of a mental condition highly encouraging, and of vital force that may pull him through.

It is not pleasant to be forced to the conclusion that the Winchester Star is "out" with the JOURNAL, but such seems to be the case. That valuable hebdomad has not made its appearance in our office for some time, and we fear that it declines further commerce with our humble sheet.

The Black Hills is the place for a comfortable existence. On Tuesday night last snow fell there to the depth of 20 inches. If the present heat continues here, there will be a large emigration to the Black Hills forthwith.

The Cabinet have decided to remain at Long Branch with the President for how long cannot of course be now determined.

## HOME AGRICULTURE.

THE FARM OF HON. JOHN CUMMINGS, IN WOBURN: PRODUCTS AND PROCEEDS.

Though Massachusetts, like the rest of the New England States, is more famous for its manufactures than its agricultural showing, still farming in this Commonwealth is not a "lost art" by any means, her yield of the staples of the soil being considerably above the general average of the whole country, and form a very respectable item in her aggregate wealth. There is a great deal of good land in the State, sections of which are as productive as the prairies of the West, and as certain in their income returns. Men grow rich by the cultivation of the soil here, especially on vegetable farms located near large cities and manufacturing centres, which afford ready markets for the produce raised on them, and the very best prices. They seldom fail to yield handsome returns for the labor and capital invested—often larger than the most successful manufacturing or mercantile establishments, and a deal more certain.

But it is not of farming generally in this State that we propose to write; rather to illustrate the subject by an individual case, and demonstrate with it what can be done where all the conditions are favorable—where brains, money and enterprise unite in forcing the soil to do its best. Of course, it is not to be understood that the farm and farming of Hon. John Cummings of this town are to be taken as a fair illustration of the business as it is commonly conducted, but they serve the purpose of showing what can be done, and may enlighten some western people who have no faith in New England as a crop-producing section

of the Union and believe that nothing but vanity and vexation of spirit can be raised on land unfortunately located east of the Alleghany mountains. Not only so, but to tell that Woburn has the largest and most successful farmer in Massachusetts, as Mr. Cummings undoubtedly is, is gratifying to local pride, which, after all, has perhaps as much to do with originating this imperfect sketch of his agricultural operations as anything else, if not more.

On a certain morning not long ago, we accepted a kind invitation from our friend Mr. G. F. Jones to drive out to the farm of Hon. John Cummings, of which we had heard much and seen little, and inspect it. Passing through Cummingsville, or West Side, a pleasant little village, containing the large tannery of John Cummings & Co., stores, postoffice, several handsome residences, and good farms contiguous, we proceeded on to the old Cummings homestead, and halted. This is a fine large dwelling, with handsome lawns covered here and there with shade trees and beds of bright flowers, and an exceedingly pleasant and homelike looking place. It is occupied by Phineas G. Hanson, the efficient general superintendent of Mr. Cummings's agricultural operations. As Head Farmer he has the whole charge of the affairs of the planting and harvesting; the marketing of products; the fruit, the buildings, stock-raising and all things pertaining to carrying on the business. That he is faithful in the discharge of his duties, and is a first class farmer, is proved by the fact that he has occupied the present responsible post for more than thirteen years, and enjoys the confidence and esteem of Mr. Cummings. Mr. Hanson is one of the busiest men in Woburn.

A few rods farther on is the residence of Hon. John Cummings. A large handsome mansion stands in the midst of smooth lawns a short distance from the street, a perfect model of a gentleman's home. Trees and shrubbery, artistically trimmed and clipped, partially conceal the mansion from view from the street, but there are wide, smooth carriage ways and paths that afford the visitor ingress to the delightful grounds, to which he is always welcome. The most beautiful flowers, foliage plants and shrubs abound. At this season of the year it is a perfect bed of bloom. Near the residence are large, handsome hot-houses which are filled with rare exotics, plants and vines. Such a home and such surroundings ought to go a long way towards making a man contented with life.

The farm of Mr. Cummings contains about one thousand acres, divided into tillage, meadow, pasture, orchards and woodland. It lies in the towns of Woburn, Burlington and Lexington, and principally in one body. The land is rolling, and as one rides along the roads that run through and around the farm, the views are caught from the higher elevations from which he descends into productive intervals and meadows bearing heavy burdens of grass. Wild land is continually being reclaimed and brought into a state of productiveness, and each year many rich acres are added to amount of arable lands. Of course, there is a large number of buildings on the place, the extent of the business requiring large outlays in this respect. Dividing the tracts and on the roads are long lengths of the best stone walls we ever saw. They are two or three times the thickness of ordinary walls, built up like the best of masonry, and as level as a floor on top. The building of these great walls have left the land free of stones, and they must last for ever.

To give some idea of the extent of Mr. Cummings's farming operations we submit a few figures concerning the principal crops raised:

Hay	200 acres	350 tons
Potatoes	40 "	8,000 bush.
Cabbages, Caulifl.	25 "	1,000 tons
Onions	12 "	4,800 bush.
Beets	30 "	150 bush.
Tomatoes	34 "	2,500 bush.
Squashes	18 "	1,000 bush.
Mangels	5 "	300 tons
Celery	16 "	1,000 tons
Asparagus	10 "	1,000 tons

These crops, with the exception of the hay, are carried to Boston, where Mr. Cummings has a market at which a large part of them are sold by the two men who run it. Besides the market he supplies the Tremont House with his vegetables, and disposes of a part to other dealers. From three to seven teams are constantly employed hauling this produce into Boston. Week before last the sales of vegetables amounted to \$1,000, and last week to \$1,200. The products are all of the best quality and fetch remunerative prices.

Of fruit there is a great abundance raised on the farm. Orchards are observed everywhere, and the trees are generally thrifty and prolific. The ordinary harvest of apples is about 6000 marketable barrels, consisting of all the best varieties raised. The bulk of the crop is commonly sent to England by Mr. Cummings, where his fruit sustains a first rate character. This year he will gather about 300 bushels of pairs of all kinds, which are always in demand and bring good prices.

About 20 cows are kept on the farm, producing an average of 55 gallons of milk daily. Besides these there are a great many stock cattle, which are sold off as their condition and the market warrant. A profitable business is also carried on in breeding and raising horses. These are choice stock and sell for round figures, frequently bringing \$400 and \$500 each. Not long ago Mr. Cummings sold a span to the Harpers, the famous New York publishers, for \$1200. Like the neat stock the horses are sold when the best prices are available.

The average number of swine kept throughout the year is 2000. For the accommodation of this stock very large and substantial buildings, with all modern improvements, have been erected, and everything done to make good pork and the raising of it profitable. The hogs are sent to market when they reach in weight about 250 pounds. So far this year Mr. Hanson has sold \$13,000 worth of live hogs and pork, and expects to swell the figures to considerably rising \$20,000 by the 31st of December.

A large part of the pork is shipped to Liverpool, though considerable of it goes into the hands of Boston packers. A visit to and inspection of this "pigery" is very interesting to those who like to see good stock and how it is raised.

As will be concluded, it requires a large force of men and animals to cultivate and carry on this great farm. The number of men constantly employed is about 60; horses, 40; oxen, 2 yoke.

These are scattered over the numerous fields, some—when we were there—laying some gathering crops, some grubbing new lands, and others getting the vegetables ready for market. They were a busy throng and made things look lively. A very large building is being erected in which to prepare the crops for shipment.

Thus we have given a bare outline of the farm and farming of Mr. Cummings leaving details to be filled in by the reader's imagination. It is an immense business, yielding a gross annual income of nearly \$50,000, a great deal of the success of which is due to the intelligent and careful management of Mr. Hanson, though Mr. Cummings is no novice at farming.

To give the reader a glimpse of Mr. Cummings's capacity for work, we would state that he is the senior partner in the tannery of John Cummings & Co., which employs about 300 men, and does a very large business; is President of the Shawmut Bank, Boston; a Director in the Boston & Albany Railroad, also, in the Eastern Railroad; President of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank; President of the Middlesex County Agricultural Society, and a member of several Boston and literary and scientific associations. He is a man of affairs, but, with all this on his hands, he manages to devote considerable time to study and leisure at his elegant home on the West Side.

## LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.  
G. P. Rowell & Co.—Mis.  
H. P. Tolbald—Pink Veg. Com.  
J. L. Tyler—Citation.  
P. L. Converse—Notice.

—The Gratian Echo appeared in an enlarged form last week.

—The Woburn Brass Band will give one more concert on the Common, which winds up the series.

—Mr. Sawtelle of the Citizens' Market, has returned from his visit to Clinton, and is at the old stand again.

—The "Diary of a Franconian Lamb," by Anna F. Sawyer, will find a choice spot in the JOURNAL next week.

—We received a brief but pleasant call from Mr. D. O. Blanchard of Winchester, formerly of Woburn, on Monday morning.

—Last week Thursday Mr. Michael Shanley was sun-struck and completely prostrated for a short time. He has fully recovered.

—George J. Pindar has charge of the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The best of papers and magazines can be found there. Everyone is invited to make use of the rooms.

—Mrs. Dr. Bartlett returned, the latter part of last week, from Hull, where she had spent a few weeks delightfully. The doctor is now more reconciled to life than he was.

—Mr. A. Robie's three weeks visiting and fishing trip to Vermont was very much enjoyed by him, and furthermore, he returns greatly improved in health and spirits.

—Though the season has not yet opened Smith & Son are having a very respectable trade in carpets. They will keep a full line, and no doubt will have a very large trade this fall.

—A break-chain on a street car coming from North Woburn broke while descending a hill, last Tuesday morning, and horse, driver and passengers were pretty lively for a little while.

—The Board of Engineers have awarded the contract of putting steam into the steam-house, for which the town appropriated \$800 last spring, to Mr. Benjamin Anthony. The job is in good hands and will be well done.

—Mr. Gilman F. Jones, of the firm of Jones & Doyle, succeeded the hacks at the funeral of Ben-Israel Butler, son of Gen. Benjamin F. Butler, at Lowell, last Monday. Six hacks were sent from his stables.

—Mr. J. Howard Nason returned several days ago from his somewhat protracted visit to Maine greatly demoralized in purse and considerably upset otherwise. He enjoyed the Soldiers' reunion at Portland clear up to the hilt.

—There has been raised from citizens for the series of open-air concerts by the Woburn Brass Band, this season, \$205. Which is doing very well. We have not been furnished with the amount raised for the National Land.

—A petition has recently been circulated asking the department at Washington to re-establish the post office in Burlington. Mr. Charles B. Foster has signified his willingness to take the office if one is again opened there as there ought to be.

—Wednesday was several degrees hotter than any previous day this season. It was simply mortal on common constitutions. At the signal station in the city it was 100 degrees in the shade; and out here in Woburn it must have been about a thousand.

—Mr. Fred A. Flint returned last week from a vacation visit to Camden, Maine, which he stoutly contends is the best place on the coast at which to spend the heated term. Mr. Flint had a very refreshing season while away, and returns fully equipped for solid fall work.

—In the list of heavy tax-payers in the last JOURNAL the types said that Mrs. L. L. Whitney was taxed so-and-so as Trustee. This was wrong: it should have been L. L. Whitney with the Mrs. omitted. He is trustee for several estates, as is known, and just how the error occurred is not clear.

—The concert given by the National Band on the Common Wednesday evening was greatly enjoyed by a very large audience. The evening was one of those, and try, if not men's souls, at least, the great out of them, but "music hath charms," etc., and that which the band furnished was capital.

—The common is not a beautiful sight to behold just now. Workmen are removing the sod and "going for" the grubs that are doing so much damage to grass herabouts. The roots of the sward, being destroyed by these pests, it is lifted without effort, underneath which, and among the roots thousands of these repulsive creatures, throw them into old water-buckets and give them to Boston editors who live in Woburn to go fishing with.

—Mrs. Dr. Dodge with friends is spending the week at Newport.

—Mr. Benjamin Champney, the artist, resident of Woburn, has two Japanese nobles studying art with him at North Conway, N. H.

—If the concreting arrangements under the old elm near the Common have not been in the highest degree ornamental, they have been very useful, doubtless.

—On Wednesday afternoon we received a call from Mr. A. E. Brown, local editor of the Belford Bulletin, who we should say is a gentlemanly sort of a citizen.

—Mr. Hanson, principal of the High School, has issued a comprehensive circular containing the courses of study for the coming year in that school, and distributed them.

—Dr. Sanborn and his lady have gone on a vacation visit among the Granite Hills, where they will remain a couple of weeks. It is a good time to be among the New Hampshire knolls.

—The schools resumed work on last Monday morning, and are now going right along as smooth as oil. It should be remembered by all who have anything to do with them that free schools are America's boast and bulwark, and that every one has an interest in keeping them up to the mark.

—The haps and mishaps of a certain prominent professional gentleman of this place, while enacting the serio-comic piece of "The Pursuit of a Holiday under Difficulties," with his beloved spouse and others, if properly elaborated, would make quite a book—a primer, anyway. It was a game at close purposes; but they are going to try it again.

—Judge Converse, after "doing" Canada and the Canucks in the most thorough manner, returned to Woburn on Tuesday evening in the best of health and spirits. The Woburn Temple of Justice, with its old occupant on the bench, and the ermine adorning its owner again, will probably be glad and rejoice, although it has been remarkably well pleased with its recent tenant.

—Mr. S. T. Brigham exhibited a vegetable curiosity last Wednesday, the like of which nobody had even seen before. In his cellar he found a last year's potato which had inside of it several small ones, say as large as hickorynuts. The old potato had short sprouts on it, and was sufficiently cracked open in two or three places to disclose the new ones. It was a singular vegetable production.

—Howarth gave a grand good show in Lycium Hall last Wednesday evening. The intensely hot weather was not favorable to a big house, and yet there was a fair audience. The Grand Hibernia is all that it is represented to be, and a more enjoyable evening's entertainment is seldom furnished by a company. The people present were well pleased with it, and satisfied that they got their money's worth, and little change back.

—Mr. Mark Allen is a farmer as well as dramatist and editor. A farmer, sir! And judging from samples of Giant Wax beans which he showed us the other day, he is a successful farmer—an agriculturist not to be grinned at by toothless individuals. They were the biggest beans that we have seen this year—beans that would rejoice the heart of the most exacting Bostonian. A very fine sample of pears proves that Mr. Allen is a successful pomologist, likewise.

—The boy who was found wandering around Montvale last week, and who seemed to be a mystery, has gone to stop with a lady named Keefe in Stoneham. The boy's story is, that he came from the west end of London; that his parents are both dead, and that a gentleman paid his passage to this country. Having no friends here he wandered around Boston and met the woman with whom he now stops in S., who promised him a home. He lost her in the city, forgot her name and residence, and drifted out to Montvale where he was found. He is a bright, handsome lad, 15 years of age, and the police think he was sent to America to keep him from becoming a pauper.

—The Board of Selectmen held their regular monthly meeting last Tuesday, at which considerable business was transacted. Viz: William Armstrong was appointed special policeman for Bedford street, without pay.—The bond of Mr. Edward Simonds, tax-collector, was approved.—An invitation from the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx to visit camp at Framingham, today (Friday), was accepted.—Voted to hold a town meeting on Friday, September 30, at 7.30 p. m., of which due notice will be given.—The monthly bills were passed upon.—Voted to grant permission to A. P. Sawyer & Co. to erect poles and wires for telephone business in this town, under the direction of the Highway Committee.—Committee on Highways will view the prayed-for streets tomorrow, Saturday, as follows: street from Mountain street, at 9 a. m.; Cummings street, at 10.30 a. m.; Centre street, 2.30 p. m.; Scott street, and street leading southerly from Chestnut street, at 4 p. m.

—Tuesday was a day that will be remembered for many a year. At early morning it was cloudy and dark, and by 8 o'clock the atmosphere assumed a deep yellow hue, which continued, with greater or less intensity, until 4 and 5 in the afternoon. The grass, foliage and all green things took on a deeper, darker green, sometimes changing to pale blue, and the gas jets, which were lighted in stores, offices and shops early in the day, looked precisely like electric lights, and sent forth pale, sickly rays, giving, like the electric lights, a ghastly appearance to everything. Many people were greatly frightened, remembering the prediction that the world is to come to an end in 1881. The schools closed at 3 o'clock, and about that hour birds went to roost. Those who were not frightened were curious as to the cause of this remarkable atmospheric phenomenon, and the enquiry throughout the day was, "what, do you think, is the cause of it?" During the afternoon it was very dark, and business houses were generally lighted up. The atmosphere was exceedingly humid, hot and disagreeable during the continuance of this very singular, almost frightful, appearance of the sky and the pallid, ghastly coloring it gave to all mundane things. Altogether, it was one of the most remarkable days that we have any record of, and one that will not soon be forgotten.

## MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.

MR. F. H. LEWIS

Will resume teaching.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1881.

Those wishing to secure their time for lessons will please send word before noon of the Saturday previous, Sept. 10.

F. H. LEWIS,

Woburn, - - Mass.

MISS MERTENA L. BANCROFT,

Will resume lessons on

MONDAY, SEPT. 12, '81.

Residence, Franklin St., Woburn.

Piano-Forte

and Harmony Instruction. 36-39

—Mr. E. M. Hoyt, the very pleasant and gentlemanly assistant in Dr. Dodge's drug store, son of the late Dr. Hoyt of Westworth, N. H., is spending his vacation at the White Mountains and at the old homestead.

—Nobody understands the real needs of a live, wide-awake editor better than friend Horton of the Woburn Book Store does. He not only appreciates the needs of that individual, but is swift to fly to his aid, as we know from personal experience. To wit: on Monday last the kind-hearted gentleman sent us in, with compliments, a big box of "stickaline," without which, or "its equivalent," as Bro. Parker of the Arlington Advocate puts it, no newspaper can be edited as it should be, nor a well-regulated editor fully equipped. It is the genuine stuff, this "stickaline" is, and we recommend it to everybody and the women folks, and Horton's as the place to buy it.

—Judge Littlefield of Winchester retired gracefully from the bench in Woburn on last Wednesday. Hanging the Ermine up on a nail and laying the Scales down on the table, the Judge announced to the audience that this was positively his last appearance in Woburn during the present season, thanked them for their patronage, and pronounced a feeling adieu: John McCoil, obtaining money under false pretenses; two counts; six months on each in the House of Correction.—Owen McCann, Martin Connolly; assault and battery;—Bernard Gallagher; drunk; \$1 and costs.—John H. Whelan; d., \$1 and costs; also, dis. the peace, \$5 and costs; went down.—Bernard Hayes; Co. Woburn; profane language; \$5 and costs.—Jas. Robertson; d.; \$1 and went down.—Peter McNalley of Stoneham; dis. the peace; \$3 and costs; paid.—A search for contraband poison on the premises of Catherine Mahan at No. Woburn but nothing found.

—It has been decided by the Young Men's Christian Association, of Woburn, to keep their rooms, at No. 218 Main street, open every evening (Sundays excepted) from the first of September to the first of May, next; and arrangements have been made for sustaining a reading room. The design is to furnish to the men of Woburn a comfortable and attractive place in which to spend their evenings, and to offer a counter attraction to the many growing lads and young men who now spend their evenings on the street corners and in the beer shops. These young men will be the future citizens of our town, and will prove an element of strength or weakness to it, as their lives are moral, correct and upright, or the contrary. The desire of this Association is to surround these young men with such influences as shall improve them mentally and morally. To enable the Association to accomplish the work that it seems desirable to undertake, a stronger treasury is essential. If you are interested in the future good name of Woburn, or if you are interested in efforts to elevate and improve mankind, we solicit your co-operation and invite you to become a sustaining member of our Association. The fee is \$5, which may be sent direct to either one of the Committee, or a member of the Association will be happy to wait upon you. J. Henry Symonds, Herbert Copeland, Warren E. Clark, E. E. Thompson, B. F. Kimball, Committee on Sustaining Membership.

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Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quinsy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns and Scalds, General Bodily Pains.

Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frigid Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.

No Preparation on earth equals St. Jacobs Oil, as a safe, sure, simple and cheap Remedy. A trial bottle sent free of charge, containing 50 cents, and every one who writes with pain can have a large and positive proof of its claims.

Residence in Eleven Languages.  
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS IN MEDICINE.  
A. VOGELER & CO.  
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## CHARLES M. MUNROE, READY-MADE CLOTHING, Gent's Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, &amp;c., &amp;c.

P. O. BLOCK.

199 Main Street, - - Woburn.

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## F. S. BURGESS.

Black Cashmere

ONLY 50 CENTS.

This Cashmere is of extra heavy weight, a good shade of black, and is a great bargain at 50 cents per yard.

Navy Blue Suiting Flannel

This Flannel is double width, extra fine, and is pronounced by the ladies an extra bargain.

Navy Blue Shirting Flannel

For 25 and 47 cents per yard.

ALL WOOL

White Flannel

25 cents.

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White Flannel

36 inches wide, 50 cents.

A good grade Shaker Flannel 25 cents.

Scarlet Twill Flannel, slightly imperfect, at less than regular prices.

## F. S. BURGESS.

At the regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. held Monday evening, T. J. Heartz was elected treasurer.

The following applicants to the High School passed and were admitted, at the meeting of the Committee held last Saturday: Charles E. Eastman, Thomas Mulherin, James M. Welch, George W. Dalton, Charlotte A. Sherburne, Irene C. Stevenson, Marcia Winn, John McCarthy, Lalla J. Henshaw, Willie E. Frost, Lizzie McBride.

Last week the Chief of the Woburn police got himself puzzled over the JOURNAL's announcement that Judge Littlefield of Winchester filled Judge Converse's chair plump full one day. The more he worked the ricket and the deeper he went into the firm the stronger his convictions grew that there could be only one way of solving the problem, and yet not quite believing that the Judge was that kind of a dignitary, the Chief sought out his Judicial Highness for an explanation. H. J. H. readily fell in with the Chief's view of the matter, the squib, but most emphatically denied the soft impeachment, and it took the writer of the item two full hours to convince the parties that the very highest-kind of a compliment was intended by the notice. They were finally convinced, took down their derrier, and glided softly away.

—Strange as it may seem there are some people—a few here in Woburn—who disbelieve in advertising! Business men too! For some reason or other they have not been educated up to the point of realizing the utility of telling the people, through the only really paying medium, the local newspapers, that they keep goods, keep them to sell, and that they sell cheap. They say they tried it one week (1) and as every person who came to the store didn't make formal proclamation that he had come because he saw their advertisement in the local paper, it amounted to nothing, and the money for the card was just thrown away. Mr. Leonard Thompson is not that kind of a man. And he won't be hereafter to any great extent. Last week he inserted a "To Rent" in the JOURNAL, and before that paper had been on the street half a day a man came to Mr. Thompson with a copy of it in his hand, and wanted to know about the tenement therein described. Full information was vouchsafed and the house was leased on the spot. And, yet, some men say advertising don't amount to shucks!

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## WINCHESTER.

The new culvert through the Grammar school yard is all right.

There is some squirming here over the new rules concerning season tickets adopted by the B. & N. R. Company.

There was no forenoon session of the schools on Thursday in deference to Gov. Long's proclamation for prayer for the President.

Our schools opened last Monday under favorable auspices. We have a corps of able teachers with whom the citizens will co-operate to make the schools first class.

On Tuesday evening, September 16, the Republicans of this town will hold a caucus for the purpose of selecting delegates to the different conventions to be held this fall.

Mr. Albert Gooding of Brookline will occupy the sacred desk at the Unitarian church next Sunday. He is a recent graduate of Harvard Divinity school, and smart.

Mr. S. C. Small of this place wrote the letter of sympathy to General Garfield that was sent by the Maine Veteran Association from their reunion at Portland week before last.

The employees of C. E. Johnson's and Warren Johnson's shops, Winchester, vanquished the employees of E. L. Shaw & Co.'s shops, Woburn, at a game of baseball last Saturday, by a score of 21 to 5. It was a well-contested game.

On last Tuesday evening the annual meeting of the Good Will Club was held. It was presided over by Vice-President Webb. The following officers were chosen: President, Francis H. Nourse; Vice, William Webb; Treasurer, F. A. Patch; Secretary, Samuel S. Symmes; Directors, Charles A. Cutter, Mrs. C. W. Bradbury, J. Herbert Dinwiddie, Miss J. Metcalf, D. N. Skillings, Miss Mary S. Speare, C. H. Dunham Jr., Miss Annie Folomoe. Mr. R. C. Metcalf declined a reelection to the President's chair. The report of Mr. F. A. Patch, Treasurer, was read and accepted.

## INTERESTING ITEMS.

"Smith," said Brown, "there's a fortune in that mine." "I know it," said Smith, "I've put my finger on it."

Mr. Charles Munroe will take in a larger stock than usual this fall, and fill right up to the handle. A steady increase of patronage warrants doing a larger business, and he'll do it.

Dr. Thomas C. Spencer says a man's birth is more painful than his death. This may be so, but we would rather be born twice than to die once.

Mr. Amos Cummings is one of the largest dealers in millinery goods in this county. He enjoys an extended swing of custom, his handsome and well kept store being liberally patronized by the best people of Winchester, Stoneham, Reading, Lexington, Wakefield and other towns. It is the intention of Mr. Cummings to do a larger business than ever this fall.

The Post has been trying its hand at the state business, and says the ticket that would conduce to harmony and lasting peace in the Republican ranks in this State is this one: For governor, Prof. Haskell of the Boston Herald; for lieutenant governor, Prof. Faxon of Quincy.

Smith & Son, the enterprising, popular and very successful dry goods dealers, whose store surpasses in size, convenience and elegance any store in Middlesex county, are preparing for a big fall business. They will have it too, if a store full of goods, low prices, and square dealing are of any account.

Reporter Murphy of the United States senate relates of Daniel Webster that one day when he was to debate with Silas Wright, a long time friend went over and said: "Mr. Webster, you will have an easy victory to-day; Mr. Wright is drunk." "I would have you know, young man," said Mr. Webster, "that Silas Wright, either drunk or sober is a very hard man to encounter."—The Hour.

Nearly all the ills that afflict mankind can be prevented and cured by keeping the stomach, liver and kidneys in perfect working order. There is no medicine known that will do this as quickly and surely, without interfering with your duties, as Parker's Ginger Tonic. See ad.

"Why were you late this morning sir?" said the teacher rather sharply. "Well, sir, you see I heard that a little fellow next door to us was going to have a dressing down with a bad cord, and so I waited to hear him howl."

See advertisement of P. O. Vickery for agents in another column. Mr. Vickery is Mayor of the City of Augusta, Me., which is a sure guarantee that all will be fairly dealt with.

"Why don't I go to Long Branch?" exclaimed a sweet young thing of seventeen the other day. "Because I don't care for the seashore. For my part I think the ocean is vastly overrated, any-way."

General B. F. Butler still lives, and so do hundreds of others who have been cured of rheumatism and neuralgia, by the great blood purifier Sulphur Bitters. Send for testimonials.

Burgess is offering several lines of goods very cheap to make room for a large fall stock, and now is a good time to buy of him. He has a desirable stock and sells cheap.

It is learned from the Salt Lake Herald that Galileo discovered Limburger cheese floating through space in 1609, and made an entry in his diary at the time that he thought it in a very poor state of preservation.

Copeland, Bowser & Co. have had a very fine trade all through the vacation, only interrupted by brief spells of bad weather. They are arranging for fall work; clearing up the remnants and selling them off at purchasers' prices; and preparing for a big autumn trade, soon to begin.

## Skill vs. Ignorance.

As a perfect pharmaceutical preparation, we are told that Hood's Sarsaparilla surpasses any proprietary article upon the market. Even to our inexperienced eye we see positive indications of the truth of the foregoing. A glance at the article shows the scrupulous neatness and care with which the details of its manufacture and putting up must be conducted. These points are of importance in any business, but in the manipulations of remedies for the relief of human suffering they become of supreme importance, and only such medicines are worthy of public confidence.

## Faded or Gray Hair.

gradually recovers its youthful color and lustre by the use of Parker's Hair Balsam, an elegant dressing, admired for its purity and rich perfume.

## CORSET

That sells itself to every Lady that looks at it. Really the best improvement yet made, at

A. CUMMINGS.

150 Main Street, Woburn.

## WALNUT HILL.

All the matches were open Saturday, at the Rifle Range. In the Sharpshooters' Match, 200 yards, off-hand, Mr. E. F. Richardson of Reading scored 115 out of a possible 120 points, the largest record ever made in the world.

Next week a large number of the Association will go to Ceredon to participate in the Fall meeting of the National Rifle Association.

## Delicate Ladies!

Who have that tired and all gone feeling, and don't like to be disturbed, will continue to be troubled with this complaint until they renew their impure blood. Sulphur Bitters will cause new and rich blood to course through every artery and vein in the human system. See another column.

## BURLINGTON.

BURIED.—The remains of Mr. Jonathan Hunt, who died last week in Hudson, N. Y., were brought to Burlington for burial.

VISIT.—Rev. Nathaniel Richardson of Rockport, formerly minister of the church in this place, visited Burlington last week.

SCHOOLS.—The fall term began last Monday. Miss I. Page has returned to her former position at the North school, after resting for a term. The South, East, and West schools remain in the charge of the same teachers as last year.

LEFT.—An insane man by the name of Otis Converse, an inmate of the almshouse, left that institution on August 25, and has not since been heard of.

## Extreme Tired Feeling.

A lady tells us "the first bottle has done my daughter a great deal of good, her food does not distress her now, nor does she suffer from that extreme tired feeling which she had been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla." A second bottle effected a cure. No other preparation contains such a concentration of vitalizing, enriching, purifying and invigorating properties as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

## A Portrait of Dr. Holland.

There is hardly a literary man in America whose writings have been more widely read than those of Dr. J. G. Holland, nor one whose name is better known among the people. It is said that nearly 600,000 copies of his books have been sold, to say nothing of the enormous sale each month of Scribner's Monthly, over which he presides as Editor-in-chief. The Century Co., publishers of Scribner's (to be known as "The Century Magazine" after October), will soon issue a portrait of Dr. Holland, which is said to be a remarkably fine likeness; it is the photograph of a life-size crayon-drawing of the head and shoulders, recently made by Wyatt Eaton, and will be about the size of the original picture. It is offered in connection with subscriptions to The Century Magazine.

The best strengthener of mind and body is Brown's Iron Bitters. It is very soothing and refreshing in its effect.

## SCROFULA.

A remedy that can destroy the germs of scrofula, and when once settled has the power to root it out, must be appreciated by those afflicted. The remarkable cures of young children and the more wonderful cures of those of middle age and late in life, as illustrated by our printed testimonials, prove Hood's Sarsaparilla to be a reliable remedy, containing remedial agents which do positively cure scrofula and eradicate it from the blood.

WALTON, N. H., Jan. 21, 1879.  
MESSRS. C. I. HOOD & CO., Lowell, Mass.: Gentlemen—For ten years previous to the early part of 1871 I had been a constant sufferer from scrofulous ulcers or sores, which had finally reduced me to a helpless condition, as described in my letter to you in September of that year. The continued excellent health which enables me to keep house for my aged father and to enjoy life, keeps alive my intense personal interest in Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I cannot refrain from expressing my gratitude for the permanent cure this wonderful medicine effected in my case nearly two years ago, while living in Lowell, when all my physicians gave me up as being in an incurable condition. One thing before I close. I have recommended Hood's Sarsaparilla to hundreds, and I think more than a thousand cases, and my faith in its invincibility in curing scrofula has become absolute by the wonderful cures it has effected aside from my own. I trust you will not be slow in making the merits of Hood's Sarsaparilla known everywhere, for it is a duty you owe to mankind. With best wishes I remain very truly yours,  
SARAH C. WHITTIER.

## HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA

Is a skillfully-prepared compound, concentrated extract, by a process peculiarly our own, of the best remedies of the vegetable kingdom known to medical science as alteratives, blood-purifiers, diuretics, and tonics. Sold by all druggists. Price \$1, or six for \$5. C. I. HOOD & CO., Lowell, Mass.

## CORNET PLAYERS!

We are prepared to furnish cornet players with instruments of the best FOREIGN & AMERICAN make, which have been pronounced by first-class artists to be the best and most perfect instrument manufactured.

Oliver Ditson & Co. where special bargains in Musical Instruments of all kinds and makes, are constantly being offered. All our instruments are Made Especially for Our Trade, by skilled workmen, having been thoroughly tested and are WARRANTED.

as first-class in every respect. We always keep in stock a complete assortment of all Band and Orchestral Instruments, Guitars, Music Boxes, Violins, Banjos, Sheet Music and Music Books, and general Musical Merchandise.

Send for Illustrated Catalogue.—  
John C. Haynes & Co., (OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE.)

23 Court Street, Boston.

## Cash Fund July 1, 1881, over \$420,000.

Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Co.  
Surplus Over Reinsurance, \$210,000.  
Dividends paid on every expiring Policy: 50 per cent. on five years, 50 per cent. on three years, and 20 per cent. on all others. This company pays for damage by lightning. Amount at risk, \$2,200,000. Total Liabilities, \$188,000. This Company writes only on the safe classes of property, and every loss paid in full. This company has been in operation more than 82 years and has paid over \$1,250,000 in losses, and over \$200,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.  
ISRAEL W. MUNROE, President and Treas.  
CHARLES A. HOWLAND, Secretary.  
SPARROW HORTON,  
AGENT FOR WOBURN AND VICINITY.  
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R. W. LUCY,  
CONCERT PIANIST,

Teacher of Piano-forte,  
Will receive pupils in Woburn and vicinity during the present season. For particulars inquire at the CANTARIAN CHURCH, Woburn, on Saturday afternoons, between 3 and 5 o'clock.  
Sept. 1, 1881.

It is worth a Hundred Dollars  
for any smoker to know that we are putting up a very fine Havana Cigar, with Connecticut wrapper, equal in flavor to cigars generally sold at from 10 to 15 cents—which we are selling consumers at the trade at \$4 a hundred. We will send a box containing 25 of any of the United States, postage paid on receipt for \$2.50, by mail, to any address. VILLAGE STORE COMPANY, Wholesale Dealers in Cigars and Groceries, 101 Broadway, New York.

12 Articles in one.  
Millions in use—everybody's choice. 44-22-26 catalogue of other specialties free.

HUNTER'S SIFTERS, J. M. Hunter Mfg. Co., 777, 7th Ave., New York, N. Y.  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.  
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of James P. Tyler, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:  
WHEREAS a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Louise E. Tyler, who claims that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executor therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or security on her bond pursuant to said will and statute: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of September instant, at 9 o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.  
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## The Sunday School.

From the New York Observer.

INTERNATIONAL LESSONS.

Third Quarter.

BY REV. HENRY M. GROUT, D. D.

SEPTEMBER 11.

Lesson 11.

Idolatry Punished.

Ex. 32: 26-35.

GOLDEN TEXT.—"Little children keep yourselves from idols. Amen."—1 John 5: 21.

Central Truth.—Only spiritual worship is true and acceptable to God.

Not long after the events connected with the giving of the law on Sinai, Moses was again called up into the mountain. Here, after some other communications, God met him in a glorious cloud, the sight of which was like devouring fire. It was at this time that God showed him the pattern of the tabernacle, and gave directions with respect to its furniture and service, and the consecration of Aaron and his sons to the priest's office. Solemn charges were added with respect to the keeping of the Sabbath. Also the two tables of testimony were given to him. His stay lasted forty days and forty nights, during which he neither ate nor drank.

Meanwhile, quite other scenes were transpiring in the camp below. To the people the absence of Moses seemed long. More than a month before they had seen him pass into the luminous cloud and disappear from sight. What if the "devouring fire" had consumed him? In their impatience they lost faith in God and in Moses. They must set up an altar; under a new leader, which would be Aaron, and under another symbol of the divine presence, if not another God. So they said, "Up, make us gods which shall go before us: for as for this Moses, we know not what has become of him." Aaron had not the courage and faith to refuse. He took the earrings and other ornaments of gold which they brought him, and made an image. Doubtless it was like the Egyptian Apis, to the worship of which he had been used in Egypt. It had the form of a calf, or agricultural ox, and represented the powers of nature. Then he said: "These be thy Gods, O Israel, which brought thee up out of the land of Egypt."

The Lord was greatly displeased. He told Moses what had been done, and threatened to destroy the whole people. So far as appears only the earnest intercession of Moses saved them. As Moses went down from the mount he heard the sound of revelry in the camp; for Aaron had proclaimed "a feast of Jehovah" in honor of the idol. In his indignation he cast the tables out of his hands and broke them. This lesson is an account of the punishment inflicted upon the people for their sin.

One question likely to arise in connection with the lesson is, What was their so very sinful in what they did? It was a direct and plain breaking of one of those commandments which had just been given them. Amid great signs, and in the most solemn manner, God had just said to them: "Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image or likeness" for purposes of worship. It was also a violation of covenant vows, for they had said: "All that the Lord hath spoken unto us, we will do."

But this was not all. Idolatry is a peculiarly dangerous sin. It is not likely that Israel meant to cast off Jehovah. Aaron said when he had finished the calf, "To-morrow is a feast to the Lord." Idolatry is a transgression of the second commandment, not of the first. It is an attempt to escape the sense of the spiritual presence of a holy God. In part it is an effort to make worship easier, to save the trouble and weariness of spiritual effort, to escape labor of the soul. Then, it is an attempt to bring God down to man's level. The thought of the worshiper never habitually rises above the moral level of the creature it has framed to represent him. The image never includes—it excludes—the idea of God's purity. It is a device of men who liked not to retain a holy God in their knowledge. It originates in a sensual tendency, and leads to sensual practice. This is always the case. The heathen gods never make their worshippers pure. It was natural, that, having got their calf to represent Jehovah, Israel should give themselves to licentious revelries.

No special difficulty is to be found in the manner in which punishment was inflicted. It was useful that it should be made to appear that God is earnest in his commands, and that sin is both hateful and unsafe. And he may choose his own agents for the fulfillment of his righteous will. But was there no discrimination in the judgment inflicted? Doubtless there was much. First, the people is invited to stand apart and show themselves on the Lord's side. Then it is to be remembered that when Moses stood in the camp "he saw that the people were naked." Many were fresh from their orgies; not yet sobered to decency and quiet. These still thronged the camp, while the more orderly had taken warning, and gone to their tents. On these grosser offenders the avenging Levites fell. Thus God made himself known as holy in his hatred of sin, and discriminatingly just in his punishment of it.

There is nothing more touching in all the story of Moses' life than his manner of speaking to the people after the sin and its punishment were over, together with his prayer in their behalf. There was truly in it all an "intensity and self-denial of love, unequalled by that of any man except Paul." The result, too, indicates at once the power and limitation of prayer. It prevailed in part. By his angel, God would still go before his people. Nevertheless, it was still needful that, in visiting, he should "visit their sin upon them."

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lands. Anything is an idol by means of which we help ourselves to shut out or obscure the sense of God as spiritual and holy. Church forms and ordinances, and even the church as an institution may be roused. The disposition to rest in human guidance, and to accept human standards may spring from the same root.

3. The readiness of some to excuse the idolatry of the heathen has no justification in the facts. It is not a struggle upward. It is a gravitation downward. God made man upright. Images and like "helps" to realize God are his own sinful inventions. The fruit of any and all forgetfulness of the spirituality and holiness of God has always appeared in the dominion of the earthly and sensual. The end is bitterness and death.

4. God has himself come down to us in the only way which we can be lifted up. Jesus is no false representation of him, but the "express image of his person." In him the holiness and grace of God at once appear. To turn to any idol is to "trample under foot the Son of God." He is our one, true, glorious, and Mediator.

5. God is pleased when believers intercede for sinners. He is not unmoved by their entreaties.

6. To be on God's side is to be ready for any service he may assign to us, however painful it may be. Nevertheless it is to be on the right side. It is also to be everlastingly safe and blest.

**One moment please.**  
When winter is passing into summer and summer into winter again, your health should be especially looked to. The humors which have accumulated in the blood often sickness peculiar to change of season. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy will do this for you. Get a bottle now and begin using it at once. A long list of sickness and a long doctor's bill may be the penalty of neglect. If your druggist hasn't it, write to the doctor at Rondout, New York. Price \$1.00.

**A Cure for Small-Pox.**  
Dr. James Moore, a surgeon of Ironton, O., who has lately been suffering from small pox, accidentally hit upon a simple remedy which, in his case, at least, acted with marvellous celerity. This is the way the doctor tells the story:

My nurse had retired and was sound asleep in bed behind me. My feet were so tender that I dare not let them touch the foot-board of the bed. My head I could not suffer to lie upon the pillow. I lay raised up on my elbow, my neck resting upon my hand. I had by this time become so nervous I dare not shut my eyes from fear of seeing unpleasant visions. Pulse about 90. I had upon the table at the bedside a pitcher of water and a drinking glass, a box of salicyl powders, and one ounce of chlorate of potash in crystals. I had also at my bedside a paper of lemons and also one of oranges. These were all the agents within my reach. I recollected that the lemon juice in sufficient quantity was a sedative, and would lower the heart's action and by so doing might relieve me of those unpleasant visions. I therefore squeezed all the juice I possibly could out of one of the lemons into the glass, to which I added about two table-spoonsful of water, and drank it. I then opened the rind and sucked the balance of the juice. In about twenty minutes I took another lemon, and used it in the same manner. In a short time I felt very cold, as if I were lying in close proximity to a large mass of ice. My pulse had dropped to 60. I shut my eyes to see if the unpleasant visions were gone, but by placing my hand upon my head, I found that the pox on my head had gone also. My head was bathed with gum-like fluid, which had exuded from the pox. It stained the napkin I had applied to wipe it off. It seemed as if each had given up its contents, and wilted down to a level with the surface. The same had taken place with those upon my neck had not burst, but had shrunk away and diminished in size considerably. I awoke, I presume from cold, although I had plenty of cover upon me and the fire was still burning in the grate. I felt so well pleased that I took a little more lemon juice. I kept my pulse at from sixty to sixty-seven for thirty-six hours, when all eruptions had disappeared from my skin. I then bid good-by to the lemon juice and the small pox. So strongly am I convinced of the power of lemon juice to abort any and every small pox, if administered as







## The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1881.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 195 Main Street, R. Robie, 156 Main Street, E. F. Carter, Cummingsville, J. P. Tyler, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

## REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

The Republicans of Woburn are invited to meet at Headquarters, No. 204 Main Street, Saturday evening, Sept. 17, 1881, at 8 o'clock, for the choice of six delegates to the State Convention to be held on the 21st inst. Also to choose a Town Committee for the ensuing year.

By order of the

Republican Town Committee.

Wm. H. Davis, Sec'y.

## A GOOD IDEA.

It has been suggested to the JOURNAL that, in view of its valuable services to the town and its chief industry last winter the voters of Woburn would do the handsome thing and at the same time discharge a debt, in part, by giving E. D. Hayden, Esq., a unanimous re-election to the General Court this fall. The suggestion does not come to us from a partisan, nor is it made with the hope of making party capital, but is the expression of the opinion of a practical business man, and represents the feelings of many others of the same class. The JOURNAL, thinks it a very good suggestion indeed.

It is claimed by Republicans and admitted by Democrats that Mr. Hayden, by judicious management, hard work, and able speeches in the Legislature last winter saved this town a good deal of money. He not only put in solid work in our behalf and against the claims of Boston, but on the strength of his personal character as well as honorable standing in the House, he enlisted the cooperation of many of the strongest men in that body and thus secured the passage of measures which a weaker man could not have carried through, and by it proved himself a most excellent and valuable Representative of our town.

We do not know that Mr. Hayden would accept of a re-nomination and election under any circumstances, being satisfied perhaps with two elections in a town Democratic by several hundred majority; but if he would give his consent to go back to the House, to drop all party feelings and all parties unite and give him a unanimous election, as a public acknowledgment of his good services, would be a handsome and very proper thing to do. On general principles too Mr. Hayden should be re-elected, for he is a most excellent man for Woburn to have in the Legislature.

This suggestion is recommended for consideration by our Democratic friends.

## IMPROVING.

At least, that is what the doctors say, and the fact that nearly, or quite, all the members of the Cabinet are absent from Long Branch seems to indicate that the President is better. Since our last issue some rather serious symptoms have been developed in the case, but these were overcome, and the hopes of recovery are strong, and daily growing more so. The President is still very weak, and his condition critical, but if no new complications arise there are good grounds for the belief that he will get well, though months must elapse before he becomes a sound man again.

LAST.—The condition of the President is reported more unfavorable Thursday night. His recovery is doubtful.

THE Nahant delegates to the Senatorial convention strongly favor and will present the name Henry Cabot Lodge as a candidate to represent the First Essex Senatorial District. Mr. Lodge is an able man, and the "coming" one in this part of the State, if there is anything in "straws."

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Tuesday morning's Boston Post issued a large supplement containing a full and complete history, organization, officers during the eighty-seven years of its prosperous existence, and present members of the Massachusetts Charitable Mechanic Association which opened on Tuesday. In this the Post beats all its contemporaries out of sight.

Last Tuesday Editor Dingley of the Lewiston Journal was elected to represent the Second Maine District in Congress by 5000 majority. As a general thing the Democrats didn't go out to town meeting, and Solon's steers didn't pull worth a cent, hence Mr. Dingley's sweeping victory.

Gen. Ambrose E. Burnside, of national fame, died very suddenly of heart disease at his home in Bristol, Rhode Island, on Tuesday last. He was at the time of his death United States Senator, having been re-elected in March of this year.

Mr. Conkling is recovering his hold on the Republican party in New York, and bids fair to regain control of it at an early day. He is a hard man to put down.

The Arlington Advocate of tomorrow will contain a complete history of the Arlington church and society from the beginning to the present time.

## LOCAL NEWS.

## New Advertisements.

Pettingill & Co.—Cool Liver Oil.  
J. W. Hammond—Clothing.  
Dr. W. P. Duffin—Dentist.  
C. E. Abbott—Board Wanted.  
Rep. T. Con—Caucus.  
Evans & Zerklin—Change.  
Mrs. F. W. Kinney—For Sale.

Read card "Board Wanted" in this paper.

Stephen Cutter has got settled in his new office, 178 Main Street.

Mr. Parker of the Arlington Advocate was in town circulating among friends last Monday.

—There was a slight fire in Balcon & Nichols' grease factory on Conn street last Saturday evening. Damage slight.

—It has been, in the main, good ripening off weather this week. There have been no complaints that we have heard of.

—Mr. Robie, the newsdealer, don't wear canes any more, having pretty well recovered his health and use of his propellers.

—On Wednesday fire alarm wires were connected with No. 5 Hose Company's house, and a tapper put in. Good thing.

—Attention is called to the change in Gage & Co's card. They have a very fine stock of cloths of late styles and furnishing goods.

—The town payroll for last month was a very reasonable one, the figures being \$14,554.17. That looks like retrenchment and reform.

—The singular appearance of the moon for some nights past has excited the curiosity of people, and in a few cases created slight alarm.

—Mr. C. W. Hawkins, expressman at No. Woburn, lost a good horse last Sunday night with colic.

—Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Allen returned from a few weeks' stay at the Cape last Wednesday noon much the gainers by their recreation.

—The West Side Associates give their annual assembly this evening in Armory Hall. Hearns' full quadrille band will furnish the music.

—The National Band gave a first class concert at Montvale last Friday evening. That is the kind the National always gives. It was enjoyed.

—Mr. Eager, 23 Pleasant street, is the champion pie-plant cultivator in Woburn. As soon as we can get a champion's belt made we are going to give him one.

—The whole town seem to be getting in their winter stocks of coal, which is a very good plan. The prospect is that the price of coal may advance before a great while.

—Thirty members of Crystal Fount Lodge, I. O. O. F., paid a fraternal visit to Paul Revere Lodge, Somerville, last Tuesday evening. It was a pleasant affair all round.

—Attention is called to the advertisement of Messrs. W. H. Hervey & Co. in another column, and to the liberal offer they make to purchase furniture and parlor suits on instalments.

—Last Friday forenoon a dwelling belonging to the Ruel Carter estate at North Woburn was considerably damaged by fire, occasioned by a defective chimney. The firemen were promptly on hand.

—The doctors of this place are not of one mind concerning the President's case. Some have little, or no, doubt of his recovery; others think it next to impossible for him to get well. Medicine is not an exact science.

—Smart young ladies, desiring situations in a dry goods store, should apply immediately, by letter only, to the JOURNAL office. Must bring good reference, and be of good age. Old maids, widows, and married women are not disqualified, but rather preferred.

—Mr. A. C. Floyd, in the Treasury Department, Washington, arrived here the first of the week on his vacation visit. He will remain until the first of October. Mr. Floyd represents the general average of Washington summer weather as rough in the extreme.

—Chief Littlefield had the steamer out on Fowle street Wednesday night for trial. Everything worked in a satisfactory manner save that the steam getting unmanageable and freeing itself from the hold of the pipen caused the engine to be shut down before they could regain possession of it again.

—The meeting of the officers of the Rumford Historical Association early in October is expected to be an interesting one. Measures will probably be taken for the production of historical papers and other work connected with the Association of an important character. Citizens interested should attend the meeting.

—Mr. Mark Allen, if properly encouraged, will bring out several dramas on the Woburn stage this fall and winter, and furnish our people with some good entertainments. He proposes to give the first early in October and present a first class play. In connection with which we will give our motto: Encourage Home Talent.

—The Committee of Arrangements have received letters from Maj. Gen. G. K. Warren, and Maj. Gen. John C. Robinson, Ex-governor of New York, stating that they will be present at the reunion of the 39th M. V. Reg't, to be held in this place October 5. It is probable that a formal reception will be given these distinguished gentlemen.

—We call attention to the advertisement of Hammond's clothing store on the first page of this paper. At the same time it is proper to state that the new stock of hats to be found there consists of all the latest fall styles, and comprise the noblest things out in the line of headgear. Young men and old will find something to their taste at Hammond's.

—Business men in Woburn say the outlook for fall operations is cheerful and promising. Already trade is picking up, and there is plenty of work for those who would rather be busy than idle. If our merchants and dealers will only invest liberally in newspaper ink, they will have a continuous run of business that will fill their hands brimful.

—Mr. J. R. Carter and wife of No. Woburn returned home from their vacation at noon on last Tuesday. They went with their private team into western Massachusetts, tarrying here and there as comfort and inclination dictated, and took it leisurely all through. The trip was a very pleasant one, and now Mr. Carter is ready for the rough knocks of business again.

—Considering the great amount of real work done by the Phalanx while at muster last week, Capt. Converse has decided to hold no drills or the company until the last Thursday of this month. His complimentary allusion to the company on their arrival home, as to the manner in which they conducted themselves and in performance of duty while there, was received with pride and appreciation.

—Mrs. Kinney offers a fine mare for sale. See ad.

—John Johnson is on a visit to the National Capital.

—Mr. J. B. McDonald's new coal wagon will carry a ton and a half of coal.

—Mrs. William Jones fell down stairs at No. Woburn, Monday, and was considerably injured.

—The Woburn Brass Band gave a prime concert opposite the Highland Hose house last evening.

—The National Band gave one of their best concerts at the Highlands on Wednesday evening.

—Henry Bullfinch and family have returned to their old home in Woburn from California to stay.

—Bryant & King are putting a new 30-horse power engine in their beamhouse expressly for that department.

—Wednesday morning was the brightest, fairest, and most lovely of all the mornings that September has yet given us.

—Mr. Amos Cummings is somewhat under the weather, and isn't enjoying himself first rate. But he is improving in health, and will be all right for his big fall trade.

—A touch of autumn is seen in the falling leaf here and there, and an occasional bunch of blazing foliage in the hillside woodlands. It will soon here in full force.

—We notice that Mr. Charles Choate of this town is a member of the Massachusetts Charitable Mechanic Association whose fourteenth great fair was opened with imposing ceremonies last Tuesday.

—Father Murphy of St. Charles church has returned from his vacation trip and visit rested, refreshed, and better prepared than ever to fight the adversary who has a very strong hold here in Woburn.

—On Wednesday forenoon we received a very nice call indeed from Mr. William E. Smythe, editor of the Medford Mercury, one of the very best of our exchanges. Mr. S. represents business as booming down his way.

—A neat pamphlet giving the programme of "The Wakefield Course of Entertainment for the season of 1881-2," printed at the office of the Wakefield Citizen, is received. It will be a very nice literary and musical treat.

—A very respectable delegation, numerically speaking, and otherwise for aught we know to the contrary, went to the Framingham muster last Friday. When they got back they reported a very enjoyable day of it. Company G returned to their Army on Friday evening, satisfied with their week's work.

—There ought to be a good attendance at the Republican caucus tomorrow evening at Headquarters, but we doubt if there is. Caucuses don't flourish very much on off years, and but little interest is apparent hereabouts in political matters. The President's condition is a dampener on all such things.

—The funeral of Mr. Philip Teare, an old resident and business man of Woburn, took place last Sunday and was largely attended. Bethel Lodge, No. 12, I. O. O. F., of which Mr. Teare was one of the oldest members; and Crystal Fount Lodge, No. 9, were present and participated in the solemn ceremonies.

—Col. H. B. Hayes and wife returned home from Saratoga on Monday evening. Mrs. Hayes has been most of the time at Sharon Springs, N. Y., for four weeks past, and the Colonel has been swinging back and forth between that popular watering-place, Saratoga and Woburn. They have now settled down for the season.

—In and around the depot is a busy locality. There is a good deal going on there all the time. What with mills, factories, the two large coal establishments, the frequent arrival and departure of trains, and there is life down there. We are told that one day recently 118 car-loads of freight were received at the depot, which looks large, but we guess it is true.

—We are told by those who profess to know all about it that the telephone is soon to be permanently established in Woburn. It will be found a good thing to have in the family. The telephone is no longer regarded in the light of a luxury, but has become a business necessity, and no well-regulated business community can properly get on without it. Woburn is a business community.

—We state without fear of successful contradiction that it is the smartest town within a radius of a goodly number of miles. Its manufacturing interests are large and constantly growing, and she ought to have "all the modern improvements" for doing business. The telephone is one of these—one of the principal ones. And so it is gratifying to learn that its establishment here is a certainty in the near future.

—We received the following from Mr. William H. Matthews, Secretary of the Middlesex Co. Mass. Association, G. A. R., there in camp on Tyng's Island in the Merrimack river above Lowell, too late for our last week's issue. It is a feeling tribute of esteem and sympathy which we are glad to publish, and for forwarding which Mr. Matthews receives our thanks:

We, the Posts of Middlesex County, Department of Massachusetts, Grand Army of the Republic, in camp at Tyng's Island, assembled, hereby Resolved, That, in earnest supplication, we invoke the Supreme Ruler to lay the healing hand upon our suffering comrade, the Chief Magistrate of the nation; and we also hereby extend to his noble wife, anxious children, and venerable mother, the full sympathy of a soldier's heart. George S. Evans, Middlesex Co. Mass. Ass'n, G. A. R.; Wm. H. Matthews, Secretary.

—Fall business opens well at the Police Court. Since the return of Judge Converse things have settled down, and run smoothly: William Ferrin, assault and bat., \$1 and costs, paid. John A. Keating, assault and bat., \$5 and costs, paid. Daniel McDermott of Boston, assault and bat., \$3 and costs. Daniel McDermott of Boston, dis. peace, \$1 and costs. Peter Cassidy of Boston, dis. peace, \$1 and costs. W. J. Gillispie, d., \$1 and costs. Same, indecent offense, \$5 and costs, went down. Thomas Braden, No. Woburn, d., \$1 and costs, went down. Richard Jones and Peter Crossley, assault and bat., discharged.

—The National Band will give their last open-air concert of the season on the Common, Wednesday evening, September 21, with the following programme:

- PROGRAMME:
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|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Dream of the Ocean.           | Rever.            |
| 2. Overture, New Departure.      | Comb.             |
| 3. Cornet Solo. Concert Polka.   | Rollinson.        |
| 4. Overture, Rival.              | By J. Collins.    |
| 5. Waltz, Les Sirens.            | Petrie.           |
| 6. Clarinet Solo. The Valse.     | Walden.           |
| 7. Melody, Fascination.          | By P. Calnan, Jr. |
| 8. Gavotte, Secret Love.         | Wingard.          |
| 9. Piccolo Solo. Frolic's Polka. | Resch.            |
| 10. Melody, Comic.               | Keller.           |
| 11. Galop, Trab, Trab.           | Somerlat.         |
| 12. Finale.                      | Southwell.        |

By CALNAN JR., Director.

The National Band Ass'n will hold a promenade concert, Friday evening, Oct. 14, 1881. Particulars later.

—The steamer Pallas, from New York to Livingston, Guatemala, on which Mr. Konest Champey, son of Mr. Benjamin Champey of this place, embarked on August 2 last at the former for the latter port, was wrecked, August 11, on Corn Island situated south of the West Indies. The steamer and cargo were a total loss, but the passengers and crew escaped with their personal effects by taking to the boats. Mr. Champey had a large amount of valuable machinery on board purchased in the North for his coffee plantation in Guatemala, all of which was lost. This will cause a serious set-back in his agricultural operations, though it will not cause a suspension of them. The wreck and cargo were sold at auction for \$1600, after which Mr. Champey and a Spaniard chartered a small vessel and sailed for Livingston, a distance of 500 miles, since which nothing has been heard from him, though no fears are entertained for his safety.

The Pallas was a new steamer, built at Glasgow, and this was her first trip from New York to Livingston, a regular line recently established, on which she was intended to run. She was making for the island, which had been selected for a station on the route, when on the morning of August 8th she struck a reef and filled. The loss of his machinery will be seriously felt by Mr. Champey, who was arranging for an extensive business at coffee raising in Guatemala.

—An episode turned up in the usually quiet career of Dr. G. P. Bartlett last Tuesday which may possibly cost the B. & L. R. Co. something. Returning from the city on the 4 o'clock train he was asked for his ticket, and presented a commutation one with a single ride between Woburn and Boston unpunched. The punching had been irregularly done so that the figure was left near one corner of the ticket and the dash on an opposite corner. Between the figure (ride between Woburn and Winchester) and the dash (ride between Winchester and Boston) the ticket had been punched. The conductor examined the pastebord between the city and East Cambridge and refused to take it for a fare to Woburn, and demanded the money. Naturally the Doctor demurred to the demand, his ticket being good for the trip, and declined to pay. The conductor gave him the alternative of paying or leaving the train. The proposition was respectfully declined with thanks by the Doctor. On reaching East Cambridge the conductor renewed his demand, and meeting with a flat refusal by the Doctor to comply, the latter was thrust from the train by its loss. The attention of the depot master then was called to the transaction, when the Doctor returned to the city, called on the manager of the road, and gave him a full history of the unpleasant affair. The General Ticket Agent present pronounced the ticket offered by Dr. Bartlett to the conductor good for a ride from Boston to Woburn, or vice versa. The manager was very sorry, and apologized, but it is suspected that the matter will not stop there.

—A pretty general inquiry among our business men and of Mr. A. L. Wood, station agent of the B. & L. R. R. here, discloses the fact that a variety of opinions exist concerning the new arrangements to be applied to season tickets on and after October 1st next. The new order, or system, is somewhat radical change from the present, and of course, whatever its merits, will not be taken kindly to at first. On the date named and thereafter all season tickets must be submitted to the conductor's punch on every trip, which is a new departure that is not generally approved. This plan has been adopted, the Company say, to prevent frauds, it being a well-known fact that a good many men have continued to ride after the expiration of the time for which they paid. It is always deemed fair and sharp by some men to cheat a railroad corporation, and so long as they could be passed on their dead ticket a new one was not purchased. To remedy this the punching system has been adopted on the B. & L. R. R., as it has on all others, or nearly all, leading into Boston. Again, notwithstanding it is understood, if not expressed on the ticket, that the holder is entitled to only one round trip daily, a large number of persons ride more than that, some coming home to their dinners regularly, especially in towns nearer Boston than we are. The punching remedies this evil, and by the system each man pays the price for every ride he takes. This equalizes the matter, and makes it as fair for one as another. Complaint is made that it is a hardship to be compelled to present the ticket for punching every trip, but there does not seem to us much force in the objection. The only hardship which we discover in the new arrangement is this: the season ticket is good for only the term for which it is purchased. It makes no difference how much or how little the same has been used, whether the whole number of rides or only one taken, it is good for nothing after the quarter or month has ended, and thus a person may lose any part or the whole of the money paid for it. It has been suggested that a much more equitable plan would be for the Company to issue packages of tickets to individuals by name, not transferable, and make them good until used up. This is what is done for the teachers at Montvale who teach at the Centre, and it works first rate. We think the suggestion a practical one, and its adoption would give better satisfaction to the public. As it is there is a good deal of fault-finding over the proposed change. There are others who think the course of the Company the correct one — a necessary one to protect themselves. Very likely time and change will modify objections to the change, and the public will come to acquiesce in it withal and be satisfied.

## MISS MERTENA L. BANCROFT,

Will resume lessons on

MONDAY, SEPT. 12, '81.

Residence, Franklin St., Woburn.

## Piano-Forte

and Harmony Instruction. 36-39

—Mr. Porter, the Porter, is down in Oxford County, Maine, rusticiating.

—Mr. L. A. Gould has returned from N. H. where he has been farming for three or four months.

—The Grey Nuns from Salem have been quite successful here in getting funds for their orphan asylum, and are grateful for the same.

—The Republicans of Woburn ought to purchase Strout's fine portrait of President Garfield and hang it on the walls of their Headquarters.

—Mr. Edward W. Gray, Treasurer of the Republican Town Committee, spent his vacation in York State and had a remarkably pleasant time. He is back again and at his post.

—Several persons from Woburn attended the convention of the Eastern Division of Massachusetts, Y. M. C. A. held at Nahant on Wednesday last. Mr. Needham, the evangelist, was a leading spirit of the meeting, which was a large and interesting one.

—For some fancied grievance three members of the Medford company while in Camp at Framingham, last week, made an attack on Mr. Geo. H. Ayer, who was employed by the caterer of Co. G. Mr. Ayer, taken unawares, received a severe blow in the face, but he was the wrong man to attack as, single handed, he cleaned out the whole party, and the last two days in Camp one of the Medford lads was in the hospital for repairs.

—The most lifelike portrait of President Garfield, and the most artistically executed, is a crayon just completed by Mr. H. E. Strout at his rooms, and now on exhibition in the window of Charles Biss's drug store, on Main street. The portrait is life size, bringing out all the features, the expression, and every part of the head with a fidelity to the original which is rare to be found in any of the likenesses of the President. It is a very fine picture, and splendidly drawn by the artist. It is set in a handsome frame, and attracts much attention.

—A notable society affair took place at the residence of E. Everett Thompson, Esq., on Montvale Avenue, on last Wednesday evening.


It was the matrimonial union of Mr. C. Willard Smith of the well-known firm of C. A. Smith & Son, 175 and 177 Main street, and Miss S. Lillian Thompson, daughter of the gentleman in whose parlors the interesting ceremonies were held. The hymeneal knot was tied by Rev. Leander Thompson of No. Woburn, assisted by Rev. Daniel March, D. D., to which there were quite a company of witnesses. At 8 o'clock a wedding reception was given at Mr. Thompson's, which was attended by about two hundred and fifty members of Woburn's choicest social society. The parlors were appropriately and richly adorned with flowers, brilliantly illuminated, and musical with the mirth of the large and brilliant company. A spread composed of choice viands was set out for the delectation of the guests, by whom it was relished and fully appreciated. The bride and groom were the recipients of a large number of handsome and costly presents from their hosts of warm friends, including things useful as well as ornamental, among them a bank-book and \$50 from the Trustees of the Woburn Five-cent Savings Bank of which the bride's father is Treasurer. A list of the elegant presents would require more space in these columns than can well be spared for it, and it must suffice to say that the happy pair were generously remembered in this respect. On Thursday the bridal party started on their wedding trip, which will occupy several days. They have the JOURNAL's kindest regards, and best wishes for their future prosperity and happiness.

[Troy, (N. Y.) Morning Telegram & Whig.]

## Rubbing the Midnight Oil.

In the Philadelphia Times of recent date, we notice an item referring to the miraculously quick cure of a prominent druggist of that city, Mr. J. M. Higgins, Germantown Road and Morris street, who had an awful attack of rheumatism of the knee. He applied St. Jacobs Oil at night, and the next morning he was well and in his store as usual.

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Early Records of Woburn.

The town records of Woburn begin with the year 1640. They are in the handwriting of Edward Johnson, who was one of the seven men chosen "for the erecting of a church and town." Mr. Johnson was the clerk of the committee and afterwards clerk of the town until the year 1672—a period of thirty-two years. His successor was Wm. Johnson, who held the position until 1688. James Converse was then chosen and annually re-elected till 1700 with the exception of 1690. The records made by these three clerks to 1696, are contained in a single folio volume which is in possession of the present town clerk. This volume is well known and of great value. It contains matter not only of historical and genealogical but special antiquarian interest. Its loss would be almost irreparable. The writings of Edward Johnson have become a part of the standard memories of New England. His "Wonder Working Providence" is as well known as Mather's "Magnalia" and if the original manuscript of it could be found, its money value would run into hundreds if not thousands of dollars. Woburn may well cherish its legacy of records in the handwriting of this famous man. But manuscripts are not invulnerable to fire and water, and are subject to other casualties. If by any chance this old volume should be destroyed it would be a calamity indeed. The surest remedy against this possible event is to put the records into print. Although the peculiar value attached to the original would be wanting, yet the quaint and interesting history of the doings of the town for the first fifty or sixty years of its existence would thus be preserved entire. It would seem therefore but an act of general prudence to have the volume carefully copied and put into the permanent form of a book. If the town should make a small appropriation for this purpose it would be money wisely expended. A limited edition might be printed for which undoubtedly many purchasers would be found among our citizens and the well known name of Johnson would give the publication a more than local importance. As a precedent for the publication of these memoirs of the town in the seventeenth century, the town of Groton, Mass., has recently had printed her early records under the careful editorship of Dr. S. A. Green, and the City of Boston is doing the same thing for her "Suffolk deeds" the "Book of Possessions" and "Early records." Let Woburn be the next place that thus makes sure of the preservation "perpetuum et eternum" of the doings of the fathers.

G. M. C.

## NORTH WOBURN.

Rev. G. H. Young will preach in the chapel at 5 o'clock next Sunday afternoon.

## MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.



## WINCHESTER.

A large party of our people will start for the White Mountains next week.

Rev. George L. Chaney will preach in the Unitarian church next Sunday.

A petition is being circulated for a change in Main street between Richardson and Tyler's block and J. T. Underhill's house.

The Republicans of Winchester will meet in caucus on Friday evening September 16 at 8 o'clock, to choose delegates to the State and other conventions, and to elect three members of the Town Committee to fill vacancies.

Residents of Hill district here petitioned the School Committee to reopen the school in that district, claiming that their children are now deprived of a common school education. The matter will be considered by the Board on Oct. 1.

Prof. L. Townsend will take the place of Rev. Mr. Seymour in the Congregational pulpit during the vacation of the latter which he proposes soon to take. Mr. H. Pond has been chosen organist at that church in place of Mr. Harrington.

Last Saturday afternoon Miss Hodgson of this place, with a lady companion, was driving down Main street, Woburn, when their carriage was struck by a cart going in the opposite direction, from which considerable damage was done to the buggy, and one of the ladies was quite severely bruised.

Last Saturday Master Arthur Winn, son of Mr. James Henry Winn, caught a monster bat out in the woods, the sight of which aroused considerable curiosity among our people. The bat measured sixteen inches from tip to tip and showed unmistakable signs of great age. Arthur intended to have the fellow stuffed and mounted, but not relishing such a disposition of his mortal remains he bid his captor farewell, took wing, and went back to his wooded home. It was the largest bat ever seen in these parts.

The feeling against the Boston & Lowell R.R. Co. engendered by the proposed change in season tickets becomes daily more intensified at this place rather than mollified by the explanations of the friends of the road. There are certainly some features about the contemplated change which do not strike a disinterested individual as quite just and fair. One is, that, though a season ticket may not be used a single trip during the quarter for which it is issued, it is good for nothing after the quarter expires. To be sure, if this condition is plainly printed on the ticket, that is notice and the buyer is bound by it; but, after all, it cannot be seen why the ticket might not be made to be good until used, and the purchaser have the benefit of his outlay though he does not ride within the period of three months from the date of purchase. Again, it takes season tickets heretofore have been silent as to the number of rides it entitled its holder to. I have always supposed that a season ticket meant to ride when and as often as the owner pleased. If this view is correct, and the new tickets will limit the holder to one round trip per day, then there ought to be a reduction in price. A season ticket, after October 1, will not be worth nearly so much to the suburban patrons of the Road as they have been hitherto. There are other points which I have not time to allude to.

## INTERESTING ITEMS.

The fool killer is wanted at Saranac, Mich., where a father gave his daughter \$10 for climbing to the top of a church and cheering for Bob Ingersoll.

Every Sunday morning real, genuine, A. 1, Boston Brown Bread and Beans can be had at the popular bakery of Mr. Estabrook. And, then, those rolls! They are just lovely.

General B. F. Butler still lives, and so do hundreds of others who have been cured of rheumatism and neuralgia, by the great blood purifier Sulphur Bitters. Send for testimonials.

The three daughters of Mr. Bang of St. Louis were married the other day at one pop. The local papers contained enthusiastic reports of the affair, and the three bridegrooms looked happy enough to explode with joy.

SCROFULA. A medicine that destroys the germs of Scrofula and has the power to root it out is appreciated by the afflicted. The remarkable cures of men, women and children as described by testimonials, prove Hood's Sarsaparilla a reliable medicine containing remedial agents which eradicate Scrofula from the blood. 100 doses \$1.00. Sold by all dealers. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Postmasters have been directed not to deliver scurrilous postal cards. They are also forbidden to read postal cards addressed to other parties. Therefore, when you drop a scurrilous postal card into the Post Office you must acquaint the Postmaster and his assistants with the fact, or they will be terribly perplexed.—Norristown Herald.

Nearly all the ills that afflict mankind can be prevented and cured by keeping the stomach, liver and kidneys in perfect working order. There is no medicine known that will do this as quickly and surely, without interfering with your duties, as Parker's Ginger Tonic. See ad.

General Lee is said to have asked a stranger whom he found eating green persimmons if he did not know they were unfit for food. "I'm not eating them for food, General," replied the man; "I'm eating them to draw up my stomach to fit my ration."

Much distress and sickness attributed to dyspepsia and chronic diarrhoea is occasioned by humor in the stomach. Hood's sarsaparilla is the remedy.

[St. Louis Chronicle.]

Advice is cheap—dreadfully cheap. But we must be true to our instincts of humanity and tell our suffering friends to use St. Jacobs Oil, and surprise their rheumatism and themselves also at the result. J. D. L. Harvey, Esq., of Chicago, says: "I would be recalcitrant to my duty to those afflicted, did I not raise my voice in its praise."

The Washington Post (Dem.) takes the Springfield Republican severely and justly to task for alluding to "the Conkling-Arthur-Guiteau episode in American history, which culminated two months ago." The Post observes that this conjunction of names is equivalent to representing the ex-Senator and the Vice President as partners in the assassin's infamy, which is maliciously unjust.

That sells itself to every Lady that looks at it. Really the best improvement yet made, at

A. CUMMINGS.

150 Main Street, Woburn.

## Married.

In Woburn, Sept. 14, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. Leander Thompson of North Woburn, assisted by Rev. Daniel March, Charles W. Smith and Sarah L. Thompson.

Dr. George S. Dodge

May be found Daily at his

DRUG STORE,

165 Main Street, Woburn.

## Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, Sept. 8, William J. Pearsons, aged 56 years and 9 months.

In Woburn, Sept. 8, Philip Teare, aged 66 years and 8 months.

In Woburn, Sept. 11, Timothy Carter, aged 64 years.

In Winchester, Sept. 8, John R., youngest son of Henry W. and Alice N. Plummer, aged 4 months and 16 days.

In Woburn, Sept. 10, James J. Matthews, aged 1 year and 2 days.

Cash Fund July 1, 1881, over \$450,000.

Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

Surplus Over-Insurance, \$240,000.

Dividends paid on every expiring Policy: 50 per cent. on Five years, 20 per cent. on three years, and 20 per cent. on all others. This company pays for damage by lightning, \$25,000.

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31-34-35

R. W. LUCY,

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Will receive pupils in Woburn and vicinity during the present season. For particulars inquire at the UMBRIAN CHURCH, Woburn, on Saturday afternoons, between 3 and 5 o'clock.

\*Advanced pupils preferred.

Sept. 1, 1881.

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NORTHERN TEXAS offers greater attractions in way of good, cheap lands, healthy country, abundant climate, abundance of timber and water, diversity of products, than any other region now open.

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for any smoker to know that we are putting up a very fine Havana filler, with Connecticut wrapper—equal in flavor to cigars generally sold at from 10 to 15 cents—which we are selling to consumers and the trade at \$4 a hundred. We will send a box containing 25 to any part of the United States, postage paid on receipt of \$1.50 in cash or by money order.

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30-32-33

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of James P. Tyler, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Louis L. Tyler, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named; and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of September instant, at 9 o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

37-4

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by William E. Phillips to Cyrus Patch, dated May the eighth, A. D. 1874, and recorded in the South District Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex, Lib. 136, fol. 28, will be sold at public auction, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, on the 26th day of September, instant, at 4 o'clock, in the afternoon, on the premises, a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in the easterly part of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being lot N on a plan of the Woburn Agricultural and Manufacturing Company's purchase—recorded in the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, at the end of Book 266, and bounded as follows, viz: Easterly by Washington street, about one hundred and sixty-two feet; South westerly by a fifty-foot street, about one hundred and twenty-eight feet; Northwesterly by lot D, about one hundred and sixty feet; and Northwesterly by lot B, about one hundred feet, and being the same premises that were conveyed to said Phillips by Charles Murray by deed dated May 17, 1871, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1183, Page 377, being the premises described in the said mortgage, together with all benefit and equity of redemption of the said William E. Phillips, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns therein. Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

WILLIAM WINN, Auctioneer.

Woburn, September 1, 1881.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

Estate of James Rogers late of Woburn in the

County of Middlesex, deceased, represented in

solvent:

THE subscribers having been appointed by the

Probate Court for said County, Commissioners

to receive and examine all claims against the estate

of said James Rogers, hereby give notice, that six

months from the sixth day of September, A. D. 1881,

are allowed to present, and prove their claims against

said estate; and that they will meet to examine the

claims of creditors at the office of Parker L. Con

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October, A. D. 1881, and on Tuesday, the 27th day

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## The Sunday School.

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INTERNATIONAL LESSONS.

Third Quarter.

BY REV. HENRY M. GROUT, D. D.

SEPTEMBER 15.

Lesson 12.

Review.

GOLDEN TEXT.—We will bless the Lord from this time forth and for evermore.—Ps. 118: 18.

Central Truth.—God is able to save unto the uttermost.

We have now reached our third quarterly review.

The lessons of the quarter began with the first chapter of Exodus, and have taken us nearly through that book. To those who have faithfully studied them they cannot have been otherwise than deeply interesting. Probably to most in our Sunday schools, the early portions of the Old Testament are less familiar than the new. But the things of which they tell us are not afar off. They do have to do with our every day experiences and needs. God's dealings with his ancient people were intended to reveal his character and ways. And he is unchanging in character. His ways, too, are essentially the same. It has often been noticed that the manner in which he now rescues a soul from sin and prepares it for the heavenly land, is much like that by which he delivered Israel from bondage and trained them in the wilderness for the promised inheritance. In the story of Israel's escape from Egypt and wanderings in the desert, Christians have found great instruction and cheer. It colors some of our best hymns. Much of the phraseology of the old-time prayer-meeting was derived from it.

Our first lesson was

ISRAEL IN EGYPT.

In it we are told of the wonderful increase of Israel in Egypt, and of the means the new Pharaoh used to check their growth. But the more they were afflicted, the more they grew. God's watchful care of his people is never ceasing.

Our second lesson was

THE COMING DELIVERER.

Just when the night of God's people seemed darkest, Moses was born. In this interesting lesson we have the charming story of his preservation, as delightful as any romance; of his training in the wisdom of Egypt, and of his flight to Midian. His great choice to suffer affliction with the people of God, rather than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season, was a heroic example for us. Some like summons to a great life choice comes to us all.

The third lesson was

THE CALL OF MOSES.

At the burning bush God commissioned Moses to be his people's leader, and pledged his own faithful presence and help. He taught him that in the fires of affliction they should never be consumed.

The fourth lesson was

MOSES AND AARON.

From the great task the Lord assigned him, Moses drew back; and so God gave to him Aaron as his helper. He also instructed Aaron to perform certain signs in the presence of the people, that they might see that the Lord was with him. It is noteworthy that those signs were the first miracles wrought by man's agency spoken of in the Bible.

The fifth lesson was

MOSES AND THE MAGICIANS.

God now began a series of visitations upon Egypt to move Pharaoh to let Israel go. The magicians imitated some of the divine miracles. Pharaoh was unmoved, or only momentarily impressed. His heart was hardened by judgements which were really mercies. He went, as all do who resist the calls of God, from bad to worse. The lesson teaches the great peril of trifling with the patience and grace of God.

The sixth lesson was

THE PASSOVER.

The crowning visitation upon Egypt was the destruction of its first-born. It filled the land with terror. But Israel was exempt. The means of their escape was the blood of a lamb sprinkled on the door-posts of all their dwellings. Every dwelling thus marked was "passed over" by the destroying Angel. So, through the blood of the Lamb, provided for us, we can be saved from greater ill.

The seventh lesson was

THE RED SEA.

The destruction of Egypt's first-born made such an impression of God's power on Pharaoh that he now consented to let Israel go. But hardly had they set out when Pharaoh started to pursue them. But God opened for them a way through the sea; and, by the same waters which perished at their approach, their enemies were overwhelmed—a sure proof that "none can harm those whom God protects."

The eighth lesson was

THE MANNNA.

It was the interesting and instructive story of the way in which God fed his people, famishing in the wilderness, with bread from heaven. Are not the resources of God abundant for us all, and for all times? We are taught to pray for our daily bread with fullest trust. In Christ, too, we have living spiritual bread, of which, if one eat, he shall never hunger.

The ninth and tenth lessons were

THE COMMANDMENTS.

The manner in which these were given was solemn and impressive. Having been proclaimed from the Mount, they were written with the finger of God on two tables of stone. These commandments were formally given to Israel. But the reasons underlying them are universal. They are therefore for us. The Saviour did not abrogate them. He gave to them a deeper application, and by his gospel puts us in the way of a better than any outward keeping of them. He writes them on our hearts. He shows us how it is that love to God and man is their perfect fulfilling.

The eleventh and last lesson was

THE GOLDEN RULE.

The learned doctor says: "Keep some kind of a tonic medicine always in the house, and if anyone feels unwell make free use of it. But first be sure that it is both harmless as well as meritorious. Put no trust in alcoholic preparations: their use will lead to intemperance; neither be partial to any remedy that produces a severe cathartic effect, for prostration of the nervous system and digestive organs is sure to follow. The mildest and best medicine ever invented for strengthening every part of the body and restoring impaired or lost organic functions to their normal condition, and one which is having an unparalleled and rapidly increasing sale in the Eastern States, is Brown's Iron Bitters. Any druggist will procure it for you if you request him to do so, especially when he finds you cannot be persuaded to take some substitute. It does not contain alcohol and is the only preparation of iron that cures headache and does not blacken the teeth. It is a sure reviver, a true strengthener, and the very best medicine ever invented for strengthening the pulmonary, urinary and digestive organs, and preventing consumption, kidney diseases and chronic dyspepsia, often curing these diseases when all other remedies have failed; for it is truly nature's best assistant."—Gazette.

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Taken together these lessons show us the free access it is possible to have with God. Moses came into most intimate communion with him. He talked with God. If we are equally ready to obey, why may we not enjoy as well as desire the same?

We are reminded that God hears prayer. Even Pharaoh saw that Moses had power with God. But he had no greater power than we may have.

In these lessons God is seen working numerous miracles. We are sometimes told that faith in miracles is unreasonable and dying out. Neither part of the saying has any ground in the truth. A personal God must be able to do miracles, and ready, too, to do it, when the great occasion arises. And, as to this faith dying out, even rejectors of the Bible are full of it. They want and are ready to credit more miracles than can be found in the Bible.

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## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

## DEATH OF THE PRESIDENT.

President Garfield was shot by the assassin Giteau on the morning of July 2d, and died at 10.35 p. m., September 19.

During his protracted illness the hopes and fears of the Nation alternated as the condition of the patient was reported by his large corps of physicians as favorable or otherwise. Through it all he has shown a courage and will power seldom witnessed, and to these, no doubt, his wonderful hold on life was in a large measure due.

Only during brief periods and these at not frequent intervals did the President suffer much pain; but there was a constant dropping down of the vital forces, a wearing out of the constitution, and a steady, though gradual, progress towards the grave. There were weeks when these hot, weary weeks when his attendants and the people were cheered with the hope which was almost an assurance that the life of our noble, brave and beloved President would be spared to administer the affairs of the Nation for the term for which he had been chosen, and to carry out administrative reforms on which he had set his heart; but in a few days, perhaps in a few hours, the intelligence would be wired over the country and world of unfavorable changes in his condition, and the hopes of the millions who had come to love him gave place to despondency and gloom.

Thus the pendulum swung back and forth, all hoping for the best, but fearing the worst, until the end came on Monday evening. His death was not looked for that night, perhaps for several days, and his attendants were no better prepared for the great change than the people. A post mortem examination disclosed the fact that his physicians had been all wrong as to the condition of the fatal ailment, and that death must eventually have resulted from the wound.

The grief of the Nation over this solemn event is deep and universal. While the sorrow over the death of Lincoln was as sincere among loyal people, it was not so general as that over Garfield's. The South largely rejoiced at his assassination, whereas now the South is as true a mourner as the North. Garfield was the President of the people. He was beloved and esteemed by all classes, parties and sections. The nobility of the man was recognized and appreciated by all, and all had faith in his honesty, patriotism, ability and desire to give the Nation a good and prosperous government. Since the days of Washington the death of no President has filled the hearts of the people with profound grief. His life has been clean and honest, an example that all might profit by. He was a Christian hero, a statesman, a noble man.

The prolonged illness of the President seemed, in some view, as providential. If he had died immediately after receiving the assassin's bullet it would be hard to say what the consequences to the country might have been. The public passions were terribly aroused; the excitement was intense; the heart of the nation was stirred to its profoundest depths; men were crazed, and if death had immediately followed the mortal shot, no one can tell what the result would have been.

But time has softened public feelings; the weeks of suffering of the President have given the needed opportunity for sober reflection, and to create a better sentiment on the part of the people. All danger of outbreaks of passion or illegal demonstrations has passed; and though the great man whom the Nation loved and honored and revered lived and suffered on for days and weeks, a kind providence ordered it all, and it was for the best.

To-day America mourns as it never mourned before over the death of a Chief Magistrate.

## THE NEW EXECUTIVE.

Immediately on the death of President Garfield Vice-President Arthur was officially notified of the great event by the Cabinet. At 2 o'clock Tuesday morning the oath of office was administered to him by Judge Brady; and now, by a dispensation of Providence he is President of the United States.

The resignations of the members of the Cabinet were immediately placed at his disposal, and he requested that each should retain his place, for the present at least, and remain as the executive advisers.

What President Arthur's course will be in the future it is too early to predict. The leading journals of the country have already begun to change their tone concerning him, and to praise where but a short time since they condemned.

But it will be as well to wait. If Mr. Arthur shows himself a worthy successor to the great and noble Garfield the country will not be slow to award to him all the credit he deserves. If he should carry out the plans of his predecessor, or work earnestly and honestly in that direction, his course will be approved, and his administration prove a success. If, on the other hand, the fears of some are realized in his future conduct, and radical changes are made by him then—but the Nation will live, and go on, and prosper, because the American people are able to govern themselves, and will see that the country receives no harm from the administration of an unworthy ruler.

## STATE CONVENTION.

The Republican State Convention was held at Worcester last Wednesday, and nominated the following ticket: For Governor—John D. Long; For Lieutenant-Governor—Henry Weston; For Attorney-General—George Marston; For Secretary of State—H. B. Poore; For Treasurer and Receiver-General—Daniel A. Gleason; For Auditor—Charles R. Ladd.

## MONDAY'S EXERCISES.

The Executive Committee have fixed on the Congregational Church as the house in which to hold the Presidential funeral ceremonies; and 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon as the time. The speaking will be by the pastors of the churches, and other exercises will occupy the meeting. A full programme will soon be announced.

The enterprising and versatile editor of the *Arlington Advertiser* has written and published a "Historical Sketch of the Arlington Baptist Church" which occupies nearly nine columns of the last issue of that excellent journal. We have read it carefully, and the uppermost impression which its perusal leaves on our mind is, that Bro. Parker is a keen special pleader, and would have made a most excellent and successful Counselor at Law.

We noted with satisfaction, that the author of the "Sketch" implicitly admits that the present Woburn Baptist Church has had possession of the records, communion service, etc. of the original Cambridge Baptist Church for one hundred years!

"\*\*\*\* when Woburn had formed a society and erected for itself a church \*\*\*\* Right here please answer this: If the present Woburn Church was not born in 1781 when was it born?"

"\*\*\*\*—few of the original members ever joined that church" (Woburn). Why, bless you, man, they already belonged to it. Moving of the seat of the church did not effect their membership.

He says there is no record evidence obtainable that the "ordinance of religion" were administered to the West Cambridge band of Baptists from 1783 to 1818. Shouldn't wonder if that was so; and it is a very important admission for the champion of the Arlington Church to make. Very! The fact proves a great deal for Woburn.

But here comes the most curious part of the "Sketch": Its author, to wit, Bro. Parker, claims great antiquity for the present Arlington Baptist Church—a birth, or legal organization, as far back as 1781, and yet, when somebody left them a "mole legacy" in 1816 they had to reorganize in order to hold it! That was rather singular to say the least.

And on November 20, 1817 "the church" met at sister Mary Cutler's, "were joined by twenty-two other residents," and reorganized the church, which consisted, when so reorganized, of twenty-seven members all told. The "church" that met at sister Mary Cutler's that day must have been a hefty one—five members, and these five were probably Elder Williams's new converts. Furthermore, those "twenty-two other residents" had been dismissed, only four days before, from the Woburn Church for the express purpose of joining the Cambridge "church."

And this winds up the worsted.

## Mourning in Woburn.

After visiting the bulletin-board at the Lyceum Building, and reading the last despatch from Long Branch, put up by Mr. Horton, the operator, at 9 o'clock, Monday evening, our people repaired to their homes feeling that the end of the President had not yet come, and that, although the last glimmers of hope had become dissipated by previous telegrams, he might pass a comparatively comfortable night. Such was the opinion of the attending physicians, and when Mr. Thomas H. Hill called at the *Globe* office, five minutes before the terrible news reached the city, he found the people of that establishment shared the general confidence that the President would hold out some little time longer, perhaps days. Mr. Horton's despatch somewhat relieved the intensity of the prevailing gloom, and men looked more cheerful as they left the bulletin-board for their residences and beds.

About 6 o'clock on Tuesday morning the sad intelligence reached Woburn that our noble President was no more—that he breathed his last at 10.35 the evening before. Though expected to come very soon, the announcement was a terrible blow, and seemed to cast a gloom over anything. Many were awakened from their morning slumbers by the solemn tolling of the church bells for the dead President.

As soon as possible after the reception of the news of the death of the Chief Magistrate, a special meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held at the rooms of the Board to take action in reference to the solemn event. Every member was present. After due deliberation it was voted to call a public meeting to be held on Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock in Lyceum Hall, and allow the people to decide for themselves what the form of expression should be of the sorrow and sympathy felt by them. Handbills were thereupon sent out for the meeting. It was also voted that the church bells should be tolled from 12 to 1, and 5.30 to 6.30 on Tuesday; flags to remain at half-mast until after the funeral, and that the public buildings and rooms of the Board be appropriately draped in mourning.

Early in the day, Tuesday, business men began the draping of their places, and by evening a large part of them had their fronts and interiors tastefully arrayed in the emblems of death and sorrow. We give some of the more conspicuous draperies, though all were worthy of mention: Mr. Ellis's Railroad store, 115 Main street, presented a very neat appearance. Miss Lottie Ellis displayed fine taste in the arrangement of draperies. Mr. Chas. Pierce's residence, opposite 115 Main St., was chaste and appropriate. A large American flag, with black and white in its folds, pendant from the windows above Mr. Allen's *Advertiser* office, looked finely. The "Boston Branch" was draped with taste. The windows of Mr. F. S. Burgess's dry goods store 137 Main St. were very attractive. Pictures of Garfield and Lincoln bordered in crape, neatly arranged occupied both show windows. Porter's tobacco store was festooned in mourning colors. Lee's drug store, especially in the evening, appeared to

advantage. The large crystal side of the store afforded opportunities for good display. Copeland, Bowser & Co's dry goods store was very fine indeed. Excellent taste was used in draping it. In the windows were portraits of Garfield and Lincoln, the two presidential martyrs, and crape was elaborately employed in setting them out. Fowle's boot and shoe store was among the best of the displays. In each window was a white dove holding in its beak a portrait of Garfield, surrounding which were appropriate draperies. Design and execution were neat.

W. V. Hill's drug store was also among the very best of the displays. Everything was chaste and fine. Mr. Amos Cummings's show windows were elaborately dressed in the emblems of mourning, and all passers-by stopped to look at them. The ladies of his establishment did their work well. Mr. Peter Kenney's store had portraits of Washington, Lincoln and Garfield bordered with crape, and looked excellently well. The stores of Capt. Woodbury, Frank Pierce, Hon. A. E. Thompson, the tea store of Mr. Smith and Robbie's news depot were all tastefully draped. Mr. Hammond's clothing store made a very good appearance indeed.

The *Grattan Echo* establishment also looked well. Buckman's shoe store, Mr. Geo. Conn's office, and the rooms of Messrs. Nelson and Nute were draped with flags and crape in excellent taste. Mr. F. A. Hartwell's market also looked in keeping with the other decorations, and was good. Dr. Dodge's drug store, and Mr. J. C. Buck's clothing store were festooned in crape. The window of Mr. Charles Buss's drug store received great attention and praise from all.

It contained Strout's life-size portrait of Gen. Garfield, in an elegant frame admirably draped in flags, with rosettes, and bows of mourning, and the flags he displayed at half-mast, the bells he tolled, and the citizens requested to close their places of business during the day of the funeral, and that a union service be held at 2 o'clock on the same day.

Read one of these resolutions be transmitted to the honored wife of the late President, and the original entered upon the records of the Town of Woburn.

The following gentlemen were appointed an Executive Committee to carry out the arrangements for a proper observance of the funeral day of the great and lamented President: G. R. Gage, J. G. Pollard, John Johnson, Lawrence Reed, John Burke, Samuel Cook, James Folsom, Dexter Carter; after which the meeting adjourned. The programme will be duly announced by the committee hereafter.

## LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.  
Miss E. A. Clark—Music.  
Squad Cook—Warrant.  
Town of Woburn—Warrant.  
Chas. Thompson—Middlesex Agricultural Fair.  
E. J. Zerrahn—Old Mechanics Fair.  
Savings Bank—Notice.  
Miss A. Adams—Physician.  
Miss Stearns—Notice.

Read "Wanted" by Mr. Cook.  
Porter has got back from Maine.

Read the notice of the Five Cents Savings Bank.  
The Middlesex Agricultural Fair is advertised in this paper.

Mr. A. C. Floyd returned to Washington last Thursday morning.

Don't fail to read the card of the "Old Mechanics Fair" in this paper.

The days are shortening up a good deal, and the evenings begin to feel fall-like and chill.

Johnny Feeny fell from a tree on Buckman street last Sunday and received a severe scalp wound.

Mr. Samuel E. Wyman has been appointed postmaster at North Woburn in place of Mr. J. P. Tyler deceased.

The Four Associates give a party this evening at Chas. Porter Hall, Montvale. The National orchestra will furnish the music.

Dea. G. R. Gage and George H. Conn, Esq. left for New York city Thursday evening on business, and will return on Saturday.

A very old woman, who, during last week, was begging around town, was ordered by the Police to leave town, which she did Tuesday morning.

A youngster named Buckley collided with a somewhat rapidly moving team on Main street last Saturday evening and had his head badly cut.

Mr. O. Rich has favored us with a trade copy of the *Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle* issued in view of the great cotton exposition soon to be held there. Thanks.

The other day one of our citizens, because his wife wouldn't give him some money to buy rum with, took Paris green and forthwith passed in his chips.

Mr. A. A. Clement has returned from New Hampshire and Vermont. He drove down home with a fine, large span of Vermont horses, which he offers for sale.

Tuesday was a day of gloom in this village, as it was throughout the nation. All classes shared in the general depression of spirits, and very little was done in the way of business.

The solemn tolling of the church bells early Tuesday morning filled all hearts with sorrow, for it announced that the end of our beloved President's earthly career had been reached.

A large number of the Baptists of this place attended the yearly association at Lexington last Wednesday. It was a delightful day for the business, and those who went over in the barge enjoyed it.

No fairer, handsomer or better peaches are raised in Michigan or Delaware than Mr. Mark Allen's trees produce. Samples left on our table last Monday were as large, handsome and palatable as any that we ever sampled.

Miss E. A. Clark has a card in this paper to which the attention of our readers is called. She is a good teacher, having enjoyed the advantages of a private musical education, and we have no doubt but that she will give satisfaction.

The ladies of the Unitarian Society have collected and forwarded seven barrels of clothing for the Michigan sufferers. The pastor of this church will gladly forward any contributions of money which may be handed in for the benefit of these suffering people.

We refer Sunday school teachers, scholars, and all others to the admirable temperance lecture contained in the *JOURNAL'S* Sunday school lesson today. It is a clear, judicial statement of the Bible law of Temperance in all its bearings, and is appropriate and timely.

## PIANO-FORTE AND HARMONY INSTRUCTION.

MISS MERTENA L. BANCROFT,

Residence, Franklin St., Woburn. 36-39

— Please read Miss Bancroft's professional card in this paper.

— The attention of the ladies of Woburn is called to the advertisement of Mrs. B. A. Sterns to be found in this week's issue. Her system of dress cutting is unsurpassed.

— Mr. Jacob Brown is building a house on Canal street. It is a very fine site, and not only so, but the day is not far distant when Canal street will be the fashionable thoroughfare of Woburn, lined with its handsome residences and most attractive grounds.

— We acknowledge, with many thanks, the receipt from our old friend and, for many years, pleasant yoke-fellow, A. Lieberknecht, Esq. Editor and proprietor of the *Genesee (Ill.) Republic*, a very finely executed photograph of the Court House of Henry county, Illinois, recently erected at Cambridge, the shire town. It is a very handsome building, constructed of rich stone, and is a credit to Henry, the ablest county in the State.

— The Republicans and Democrats of this town vied with each other in showing respect for the memory of our brave and noble President after the news of his death was received. The grief was general and sincere; and the weakness of party lines in a time of great national disaster or sorrow was never more apparent than it has been this week. Party was forgotten in the universal grief, and Republicans and Democrats met as fellow-mourners—as bereaved citizens of the same stricken land.

— A gentleman from Burlington was in town the other day to canvass the prospects for a dancing school this fall and winter. He found the field fully occupied by Major A. L. Richardson and Mr. Bates, who have already some thirty subscribers with a good prospect of the list running up to fifty or more. This school will be select, first class and choice in every respect—just such a school as the genteel part of our community require. It will begin about the first of November and be held in one of our best halls.

— The following is the programme for the last open-air concert in the series by the Woburn Brass Band, to be given next Wednesday evening:

1. March, Naraung. Reeves.  
2. Overture, Rip Van Winkle. Brooks.  
3. Cornet Duett, Swiss Boy. Brooks.  
4. Polka, J. W. & T. H. Marrison. Brooks.  
5. Selection, La Mascot. Audran.  
6. Clarinet Solo, Sonambula. Carney.  
7. Baritone Solo, Fantasia & Sweet. Wadsworth.  
8. Waltzes, Thousand and one nights. Straus.  
9. War Memories, Day in Camp. Reeves.  
10. Characteristic Dances. (By request.)  
11. Cornet Polka. By T. H. Marrison. Rollinson.  
12. Selection, Olivette. Audran.  
13. Finale. Class.

T. H. MARRISON, Director.

Mr. Curtis Davis, the great soap manufacturer at East Cambridge and Reading, has purchased the old laundry property over at Walnut Hill, and will remove his Reading factory to that place. It was announced a few weeks since that he had bought property at Montvale for manufacturing purposes, but it seems the trade was not consummated. Mr. Davis employs some 250 to 275 hands in his factories, and it is not improbable that he will concentrate the whole business here in Woburn, though of this we have no positive information.

Our people will do well to encourage this enterprise and give Mr. Davis a cordial reception, for his coming here may enable us to apply for a city charter sooner than we expected to.

— We feel constrained to say a word or two in praise of the popular medicine known as "Sulphur Bitters," and of its manufacturer, Messrs. O. P. Ordway & Co., of Lawrence, Mass. The remedy named is one of the most popular extent, and deservedly so, for, while it makes no pretensions to the virtues of a "cure all," for the diseases for which it is intended it stands without a successful rival. It is an honest medicine, which is very far from being true of a large proportion of the alleged remedies advertised and offered for sale, and has the endorsement of the best classes of people. Like their "Sulphur Bitters," Messrs. Ordway & Co., are honest men of scientific attainments and medical skill, and whatever comes from their hands may be relied on as precisely what it is recommended to be.

G. A. R.—At a regular meeting of Post 33, G. A. R. held on Thursday evening, Sept. 15, 1881, the following resolution was unanimously adopted: WHEREAS, God, in his providence, has called from active duty our late comrade, and former commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, *Therefore*, we the members of Post 33 of Woburn, Department of Massachusetts, Grand Army of the Republic, tender our deepest sympathies to the family of General Ambrose E. Burnside, in this their great loss, and also our profound regret, at the removal of one who was endeared to every soldier of the Republic, and whose name has always been the synonym of honor, valor, and patriotism.

By ORDER OF (Official.) W. H. Matthews, Com'r. J. S. Mann, Adj't.

A letter from Mrs. Benjamin Champney to No. Conway, to friends here, contains the gratifying intelligence that her son Kenneth, who was wrecked on Corn Island on his return from Guatemala with machinery for his coffee plantation, arrived safely at Truxillo, the home of the Spanish gentleman who was his sole companion on the vessel from the scene of the wreck. Here young Champney left his friend and took an English steamer for Livingston where he also arrived safely, and from whence he wrote to his mother on September 3d. From Livingston to his home would occupy about a week's time. He had a severe attack of fever on the passage from Corn Island to Truxillo, and suffered greatly from the intense heat and lack of shade and accommodations on the schooner. He had a second attack on his subsequent passage, and his family are anxious to learn of his arrival on the plantation and in the care of his physician.

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## MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—At 10.30 a. m., Rev. George H. Young will speak of "The Dead President."

EPISCOPAL.—Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity. At 10.30 a. m., "Give me here John Baptist's head in charger," or one of the lessons of the hour; at 12, Sunday school; at 7 p. m., "See that thy matters are good and right," another lesson for the occasion. BAPTIST.—Service at 10.30 a. m., and 7 p. m.; morning service, "God reigneth"; Young People's meeting at 6 p. m.; praise meeting at 7. Covenant meeting on Thursday evening at 7.30.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at the Rooms of the Association on Sunday at 4 o'clock, p. m., led by H. Whitford. Bible Class Monday evening at 7.45.

SWEDENBORGIAN CHAPEL, EAST WOBURN.—School service at 10.45 a. m.; Sunday school at 12.

MONTVALE MISSION CHAPEL.—Rev. J. H. Mason pastor. Preaching Sunday morning at 10.45; Sunday school at 12; prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

CATHOLIC.—Services at St. Charles church Main street, at the usual hours on Sunday.

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In Winchester, Sept. 20, by Rev. W. H. Meredith, Mr. Oliver Jenkins and Miss Nettie Jenkins, all of Winchester.

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1881.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 165 Main Street, R. Robie, 156 Main Street, E. F. Carter, Cummingsville, J. P. Tyler, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

## A NEW ORDER OF THINGS.

Movements indicate pretty clearly that President Arthur contemplates a new deal in administration affairs at Washington, and it wouldn't surprise us if he should make radical Cabinet and other changes at an early day. Conkling and Grant and others of that drive are noticed popping up in Arthur's immediate vicinity, and holding secret consultations and doing things that bode no good for present incumbents of high places.

Attorney General MacVeagh has already left the Cabinet, and the others, except perhaps Secretary Lincoln, will have to go. It can hardly be doubted that Arthur intends to make a pretty clean sweep, which means that Conkling and Grant are to be provided with front seats, and have a hand in running the administration.

What the people will think of this remains to be seen. It does not seem possible that the plans of the new President will meet with public approval; but the American people are long-suffering and very forgiving, and perhaps they will make up their minds to grin and bear it.

## THE "OLD MECHANICS FAIR" AT BOSTON.

The fourteenth exhibition of the old Mechanics' Association, Boston, Huntington Avenue, opposite old Coliseum grounds, is now in perfect running order, and daily receiving thousands of visitors. Its building is of its own erection, and is simply elegant architecturally considered, has twenty-two rooms, all of which are filled with the choicest results of New England industry, skill and art, including a full machinery hall; all the electrical appliances; a superb art gallery; a military and colonial museum; a cataract and floral pyramid; an immense camera-obscura; a large department of ladies' embroidery and needlework; vocal and instrumental music; and, in short, a thousand attractive novelties. A visit to this spacious and convenient building, with all its inner accommodations free, may well be considered an event of a lifetime.

These columns should have stated two or three weeks ago that the Stoneham News has been enlarged and improved by its industrious publisher. We like to see the craft flourish.

## THE FUNERAL.

Monday, the day of President Garfield's funeral, was appropriately observed in Woburn. Additional mourning draperies had been put up in and on the buildings of the town, notably the Armory, the Public Library, the school houses, every one of which was very neat and looked well. All business places were closed. The flags of the town floated at half-mast, and the streets were a Sunday hush and funeral quiet.

The memorial services were held in the Congregational Church, the external and internal draperies of which were elaborate and beautiful. At half-past one o'clock afternoon the bells of the town tolled mournfully for the gathering of the people, and an hour before the time appointed hundreds of men, women and children were assembled at the doors of the Church awaiting permission to enter. It was necessary to thus stand out in the broiling sun and wait in order to secure seats. When all were in, it was estimated that the audience numbered 1500 people. The house was crowded to its utmost capacity.

The order of the procession was arranged in the Selectmen's rooms, and was as follows: The Woburn Brass Band, the Mechanic Phalanx, Burbank Post 33, G. A. R., the Selectmen, the Committee of Arrangements. At a quarter before two o'clock, the procession was formed, and to the solemn music of the "Dead March" in "Sam" by the Band, marched to the Church. Here it was taken in charge by Mr. Fred A. Flint, chief of the corps of ushers, and his assistants, John W. Johnson, Charles W. Strout, Warren E. Clark, Charles W. Smith, Charles F. Lyford, George W. Pindar, Edward F. Bryant, Joseph F. Deloria, Everett P. Fox, John Duncan Jr., (Chas. A. Sweetser and John E. McClure were absent), and conducted to the seats assigned them. There was no flaw in this any where.

A beautiful voluntary was played by Mr. John C. Buck, organist of the church, which was followed by an invocation by Rev. George R. Young, pastor of the Unitarian Church. At its close the Ruggles Street (Boston) Male Quartette sang the anthem, "Remember thy Creator." This was splendidly rendered. The blending of the four grand voices was exquisite—they seemed to melt together and form one melodious strain of the sweetest music. The singing took right hold of the heart-strings and held them fast. The audience would have been glad to hear a great deal more of it. The Ruggles Street Male Quartette counted among the very best in Boston. When next they come to Woburn it will take its largest hall to hold the audience. The words of two or three of the hymns sung by them were written expressly for the memorial service, and will be printed in the next issue of *The Youth's Companion*.

Then Hon. J. G. Pollard, Master of Ceremonies, followed with an admirable address. It was a brief but eloquent eulogy on the dead President, full of tender thoughts, and love and sorrow. He read the proclamations of President Arthur and Governor Long, and closed with a touching and beautiful tribute to the memory of the fallen hero.

Bible selections, fitted to the occasion, were read by Rev. V. M. Simons, and an earnest prayer offered by him. This was followed by an original hymn by the Quartette.

An address, brief but excellent, was delivered by Rev. J. Frank Winkley, rector of Trinity church. Then another

beautiful piece, "Home Over There," by the Ruggles Street Quartette.

Rev. E. Mills, pastor of the Baptist church, delivered an eloquent address, and pointed out with clearness the lessons taught by the great National calamity. "Evermore Remembered" was patriotically rendered by the Quartette.

Rev. George H. Young made the closing address. It abounded in pathos, patriotic sentiments, and eloquent words. A dirge by the Band was then played.

The audience then sang "Nearer my God to Thee," accompanied by the organ, the Quartette, and cornets. The effect was thrilling, and the eyes testified to the deep emotion of the audience. Excepting the charming music of the Quartette, nothing was more impressive than "Nearer My God to Thee" by the hundreds of voices that joined in it accompanied by the grand notes of the organ.

A benediction was pronounced by Rev. J. H. Mason, and to the notes of a dirge by Mr. Buck on the organ the people left the church.

Rev. Dr. March would have been present and participated in the exercises had he been well.

## LOCAL NEWS.

## New Advertisements.

— Read Mr. Dodge's ad. about watches. No. W. St. R. Y.—An. Meeting. S. M. Pettengill & Co.—Chapman. McDonald & Co.—Woolen. Advertiser—Wanted. Baptist Church—Festival.

— Don't forget the town meeting this evening, and be on hand sharp.

— It has been terribly hot this week. Venner said September would be a scorcher.

— Webster Woodman has taken the place of Charles Brown in the Woburn post office.

— E. W. Hudson, Esq. is preparing grounds for the new house he is about to build.

— The 75 cent Tapestry Brussels carpets that C. A. Smith & Son offer are a bargain. They find a ready sale.

— The Eighteen Shirts are the best fitting, best made, and cheapest shirt in the market. C. A. Smith & Son sell them.

— On Wednesday night an agreeable change in the weather took place, and Thursday was cool and comfortable.

— A goodly number of Woburn people are in attendance on the Middlesex County Cattle Show and Fair at Concord.

— Mr. Eager, of Pleasant street, sent in his fruit offering to us, the other day, in the shape of some very fine pears. Thanks.

— Hon. John Cummings is a member of the Massachusetts Garfield Fund, having been appointed at a meeting recently held in Boston.

— The Woburn Brass Band has been engaged to furnish the music for the Fair of the Middlesex Agricultural Society at Concord this week.

— Mr. Frank H. Wheelock and family, who have been spending the summer here with Mr. O. Rich, left for their home in South Carolina last Tuesday.

— There is to be a great wrestling match in Lyceum Hall tomorrow evening, between Larock, champion of Vermont, and McDonald, champion of Canada.

— The Republicans of Woburn will hold a caucus at Headquarters this evening, at 8 o'clock, to choose delegates to the County, Councillor and Senatorial conventions.

— Hon. Charles Choate, who was suddenly stricken with quite a severe illness at 9 o'clock on Tuesday morning, is getting along nicely. Dr. Harlow is his physician.

— Mr. J. W. Hammond, the popular clothing dealer, has got back from Clifton Springs, N. Y., where he was much benefited by the medicinal waters there to be found.

— We jot down the fact with pleasure, that Miss Mary G. Champney has been appointed to a good position in the Agricultural Department at Washington. She is worthy of the place.

— The First National Bank has just declared a semi-annual dividend of four per cent, payable on demand, and not taxable. A semi-annual dividend is not the worst thing in the world to take.

— It may be of interest to the Woburn members of the Y. M. C. A. to have it stated by us that the next (16th) annual State convention of the Association will be held at Spencer, on Oct. 12, 13 and 14 next coming.

— The funeral drappings of the Postoffice, Selectmen's Rooms, G. A. R. Hall, the Armory, and perhaps a few other public places will remain for thirty days, and private residences, stores, etc., will continue up until tomorrow night.

— Dr. Bartlett spent Monday night wrestling with neuralgia in his head, and alarming reports respecting his condition were spread. Dr. Harlow informed our reporter that the case was not at all a serious one, and that the Doctor would be all right in a day or two.

— Miss R. M. Leathe will please accept our thanks for late St. Louis papers. We notice an item stating that Rev. Robert West has accepted the position of assistant pastor to Dr. Webb of the Shawmut Avenue Church, Boston, and will enter on his duties on Nov. 1.

— Mr. DeLoria had his hand badly cut last Friday, losing a finger, and considerably damaging others on the same hand. A few days before that he had a couple of teeth knocked out; all of which leads to the remark that Mr. DeLoria is a somewhat unfortunate gentleman.

— Mr. Eli Cooper says that Conductor Hart slipped out, very quietly, even slyly, last week, for his vacation. Where his interest is not involved, and telling the truth will pay better than the other thing, Mr. Eli Cooper is, we think, reliable; so, probably, it may be safely set down that Conductor Hart did make his exit in a quiet, unobtrusive way. This we know for a dead certainty: Mr. Hart has earned his vacation. He is a model conductor; is very popular with the travelling public; faithful to the Company, and a first rate man from centre to circumference. And we hope he will enjoy his week or two off.

— Read "Furnished Room" wanted in this paper.

— Stephen Dow, Esq., returned last Thursday morning from a short visit away from town.

— The St. Charles Dramatic Club are contemplating a series of dramatic entertainments here this season.

— The fire on Wood street on Wednesday consumed the house of John Coakley. Loss \$1000; insured for \$500, and \$400 on furniture.

— The Prohibitory State Convention held in Boston last Wednesday, chose Mr. Amos Cummings of Woburn a member of the State Committee.

— Highland Hose Co., 5, have elected their foreman, Robert W. King, delegate to the State Fireman's Convention to be held at Springfield on Oct. 11.

— The 3-mile foot-race at Lexington the other day, between James McGrilly of Woburn, and James Grant of Arlington, was won by the latter with dead loads of wealth.

— The next regular meeting of the Woburn Branch of the Irish Land League will be held on October 16, for the choice of officers. The Branch has in the Treasury \$125, and is flourishing.

— The following are the recently elected officers of the Grattan Literary Association: President—John C. Meenan; 1st Vice President—Dennis Walsh Jr.; 2d Vice President—Editor F. P. Curran; R. Secy—J. W. Downey; T.—W. W. Noyes.

— The Ladies of the Baptist Society will give a harvest Festival in the parlors of the Church on the evening of Oct. 13, full particulars of which may be found in our advertising columns. The Baptist ladies always get up nice things of this kind.

— Arthur U. Dickson and William Dickson assault and bat, \$3 and half the costs each. John O'Brien, James Welch, Pat. B. Foley, John McCarthy, dk, \$1 and costs. Daniel Talley, c. d., continued two weeks. Michael Maguire, ass't and bat, committed. Patrick Logan, ds. peace, \$1 and costs.

— Quealy Court, 32, Catholic Order of Foresters has chosen the following officers: James McMahon C. R.; J. F. Foss, V. C. R.; Ed. E. Lynch, R. S.; T. D. Hevey, F. S. C.; D. Fitzpatrick, T.; Daniel McClellan, S. C.; T. J. Harney, J. C.; Peter Hogan, I. S.; Michael Flynn, O. S.; J. G. Maguire, P. C. R.

— One of our Woburn boys has been doing some amateur canoeing lately, in a canvas canoe of his own construction. Launching it on Horn pond he navigated the Mystic, and through Boston harbor entered the Charles, passing up that stream as far as navigable. He found the novel experience very appetizing, and the entire trip very enjoyable.

— "SINGIN' SKEWL"—A humorous entertainment with a large chorus in costume will appear at the Methodist Church next Monday evening, October 3. It represents a "Singin' Skewl" of "ye olden tyme." It abounds in good music, and innocent amusement, and has delighted large audiences in Boston and vicinity. The price of admission is 25 cents, children 15 cents.

— Charlie Brown, as likely a young man as ever lived, took a postage stamp, or stood up and took his last raking down from a disappointed expectant of a love missive, has left Bro. Wyman, the genial and efficient boss of the Woburn Postoffice, and secured a capital good place with Lathrop & Co. in Boston. The public, as well as Mr. Wyman, will miss Charlie.

— During the late lamented President's illness Mr. S. Horton has received the despatches, posted them, and been very kind and obliging to all who sought of him the latest news, for which he is entitled to the thanks of the community. The manner of doing such things makes all the difference in the world, and certainly no fault can be found with Mr. Horton in this respect, or any other.

— Mr. Frank F. Dodge, who is a member, informs us that the Symphony Concerts of the Harvard Musical Association will be given on Thursday afternoons of Dec. 8, January 5, 26, February 16, and March 9. They will be given in the Boston Museum, under the direction of Carl Zerrahn and Bernhard Listemann. This series of concerts is the best given in Boston, and is usually largely attended by Woburn musical people.

— On the morning of the funeral of President Lincoln, Robert Dennett, a Union soldier in the War of the Rebellion, was buried here: on the morning of the funeral of President Garfield, Peter Foster, another Union soldier in the same war, was likewise buried here. This is a remarkable coincidence, and one worthy of having a note made about it. Two Woburn soldiers were buried on the same days that two assassinated Presidents of the United States were laid in their last earthly resting-places.

— Mr. H. E. Strout, an artist without reproach, photographed the interiors of the Unitarian and Congregational churches in their mourning draperies, the latter of which Mr. Strout superintended. Both make very fine pictures—very handsome and tasty. Every person in town ought to have a copy of each of these photographs to preserve for future reference, study and reflection. With age the will grow more valuable, and we advise every one who can to secure one. They are not only ornamental but for the memories that will one of these days cluster around them they ought to be kept in every household.

— The churches of this place were handsomely and appropriately draped last Sunday in honor of the dead President, and the pastors of each made touching allusions to the cause of the National grief. Perhaps it would be better to state that they preached funeral sermons; at least some of them did. Rev. Mr. Young's discourse in the Unitarian church was a very fine one indeed, so also, was that of Rev. Mr. Mills at the Baptist church. In the Congregational house the sermon was by a missionary from India, who had some eloquent words in memory of the departed statesman, and at the Catholic and Episcopal churches he was remembered in tender speeches.

— Miss Carrie W. Thompson has returned from a pleasant visit of a couple or three weeks with her good friends at North Berwick, Me.

— If there is a more skillful plumber in Woburn than Mr. T. H. Harney, or one who understands his business better, or is more "human" and reasonable in his prices, his name has not been left at the Journal office, nor has the editor ever heard of him. Mr. Harney is first class, and has all the business he can attend to.

— The conduct of our Selectmen, during the illness of President Garfield, at his death, and arranging for the funeral ceremonies, has been so thoughtful, judicious and kindly that we feel like making a separate note of it, and extending to them, for ourselves, and our public, sincere and heartfelt thanks. Many times we have heard their actions praised by men whose praise is worth something, and made all the more valuable for coming from the opposite side of the party line. These good, manly things will be remembered.

— We are in receipt of an invitation to attend the shooting match of the Boston Press at Walnut Hill Range, on October 7, for which our thanks and benedictions are returned. We suspect it is to be the biggest thing on ice that the Range, or anybody else, has witnessed this season. A team of five sharpshooters each from the Herald, Globe, Post, Advertiser, Transcript, Traveller, Star, and Journal will participate in the shoot, and if a good many of them don't get killed before it is over we shall miss our guess badly. By way of caution we advise spectators to plant themselves squarely in range of the rifles while the shooting is going on if they would escape being slaughtered.

— The National Band will give their last open-air concert of the season on the Common, Wednesday evening, Oct. 5, with the following programme:

PROGRAMME.  
Dirge.  
1. Dream of the Ocean.  
2. Overture. Rival.  
3. Cornet Solo. Roses and Lilies.  
By J. Collins.  
4. Medley. Fascination.  
5. Clarinet Solo. Air Varie.  
By P. Calman, Jr.  
6. Waltz. Les Sirens.  
7. Piccolo Solo. Frolic's Polka.  
By J. Claffy.  
8. Bass Solo. Thunder Polka.  
9. Overture. New Departure.  
10. Medley. Comic.  
11. Cornet Solo. Concert Polka.  
By J. Heenan.  
12. Galop. Trab. Trab.  
13. Sérénade Venezia.  
For Baritone and Cornet.  
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P. CALMAN Jr., Director.

The National Band Association will hold a promenade concert, Friday evening, Oct. 14, 1881. Particulars later.

— The fifteenth annual reunion of the survivors of the 39th Massachusetts Regiment will be held in Woburn on October 5—next Wednesday. It is expected to be a notable meeting, and one of the best of the many annual gatherings of the veterans of the old Regiment. Ample preparations have been made by the Woburn Committee for the reception and entertainment of their comrades from abroad, and by them nothing will be left undone to make the affair an enjoyable one. The Regiment will leave Boston on the Boston, Lowell & Concord R. R. at 10 o'clock, a. m., and be received at Woburn by Company K, commanded by Captain Luke R. Tidd. Among the distinguished guests will be Major General G. K. Warren, commander of the Fifth Army Corps, and Gen. J. C. Robinson, ex-Governor of New York, Division Commander, to whom a reception will be given. Comrade Albert P. Barrett of Company K will deliver the address. The business meeting has been assigned for G. A. R. Hall, and the banquet at Lyceum Hall. The music will be furnished by the Woburn Brass Band.

— The Democrats of Woburn assembled in caucus at G. A. R. Hall last Monday evening for the purpose of choosing delegates to the various Democratic conventions, and electing a Town Committee for 1881-2. It was quite an agreeable affair, and wonderfully harmonious considering. The action of the meeting was this: Hon. E. A. Thompson was elected Chairman, and John G. Maguire, Esq., Secretary. The following delegates were chosen, State—Thomas H. Hill, A. E. Thompson, Dr. C. T. Lang, C. Shaw, A. G. Ham, M. S. Seeley, Peter Kenney, Charles Breslin, Sen., J. A. Welch, E. T. Cassidy, L. Emerson, J. G. Maguire. Senatorial—W. Wyman, J. Shinkwin, W. H. Henchy, J. G. Flagg, Jr., James Skinner, T. F. McGovern, Bryan McSweeney, G. W. Norris, F. W. Graves, D. W. Bond, C. Bancroft, Harris Monroe. County and Councillor—S. F. Trull, J. F. Larkin, G. S. Butters, J. P. Crane, Mark Allen, T. Salmon, M. S. Seeley, John K. Doherty, John I. Monroe, G. P. Bartlett, B. McHugh, J. M. Eaton. Town Committee—John G. Maguire, Alpha E. Thompson, Peter Kenney, Thomas Salmon, S. F. Trull, John Murphy, Albert G. Ham, Daniel W. Bond, M. S. Seeley William Johnson, James Maguire.

— The Woburn Brass Band gave its closing open-air concert on Woburn Common last Wednesday evening. By far the largest crowd of the season was out to listen to the finishing notes of a first class series. There were numerous fine teams from neighboring towns loaded down to the gunwales with beauty and gallantry, and our home folks turned out as one man and woman. The programme was an exceptionally excellent one, showing that the leader, Mr. Marriann, had reserved the best of the wine for the last of the feast, every piece of which was executed in a highly artistic manner. The solo duet, "The Swiss Boy," by the Marriann brothers was fine, so was Mr. Fred Robbins' clarinet solo; but the piece that brought down the house and made the welkin ring with yells of applause was "War Memories," which had to be repeated to prevent war in the camp. It was very, very good. In fact the entire concert was capital. And so the boys have given us their last blow, and last chance to promenade with the girls around the Common at the measure of fine music from their instruments, and here's our hand to them, hoping we shall meet again next year around the band-stand under the elms.

## PIANO-FORTE AND HARMONY INSTRUCTION.

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— Jones & Doyle's handsome barge, the "Washington," started out for Concord this morning with a full cargo of masculine human nature bent on going to the Middlesex Fair in operation there.

— "Lessons of the Hour," a well-written, timely and appropriate article, by "M." will find a place in these columns next week. With considerable other matter it is crowded out of this issue of the JOURNAL.

— We have received from the well-known publishing house of J. R. Osgood & Co., Boston, "Patty's Perversities," and Homoselle, two capital good issues of the "Round Robin" series, about the merits of which something will be said in the next number of the JOURNAL.

— Rev. Dr. Dickenson, Editor of the "Religious Herald," Richmond, Va., will lecture in the Baptist Church Sabbath evening, at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The educational institutions of the reconstructed South." Dr. Dickenson is a most interesting speaker. The public are invited.

## LITERARY NOTICES.

OUR LITTLE ONES for October is as charming as ever, and in illustrations and letter press its enterprising publishers, the Russell Publishing Company, Boston, spare no pains nor expense to give the small folks the best magazine published in the known world. It is very beautiful and exceedingly entertaining, and the writer of this notice, an old one who got through with juvenile pictures and literature years ago, receives as much delight in going over the handsome pages of OUR LITTLE ONES as the youngest of its thousands of readers. It is a little beauty.

The October WIDE AWAKE is notable for the inauguration of a Reading Union for the young folks, giving a Reading Course for the month of sixteen pages. This will be a regular feature, forming a permanent enlargement of the magazine. Law papers for little citizens, Magna Charta stories, Health and Strength papers, Musical biographies, a series about the ocean, articles telling how To Do Things, The Wise Blackbird's page, and Natural History explorations, constitute an attractive and valuable miscellany for the first year. The Union has been named for Chautauque, "Chautauque Young Folks' Reading Union," (C. Y. F. R. U.) in honor of Chautauque's great clientele of young people who have adopted the Course of Readings here given.

After the dainty autumn frontispiece and poem, the magazine opens with a charming article "Two Bears," by Amanda B. Harris, given by the way, some interesting reminiscences of Theodore Parker. This is followed by one of Mrs. Lizzie W. Chapman's stories—"A Foreign Embassy," and illustrated with a full-page engraving by G. F. Barnes. Edward Everett Hale tells how to play "a newspaper game," and a good deal about illustrating stamp collections. "Boys' B. C.," is a graphic story of street life in ancient Egypt, with several excellent drawings by F. S. Church. "Isaac Lemon," by James Clement Ambrose is a dramatic account of the boyhood of Abraham Lincoln. Part II. of "King Philip's Head," by Arlo Bates, generous installments of "Sharon," "Having His Own Way," and "Polly Gologone," together with many field and outside poems, music, and puzzles, make up a very companionable number.

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## WALNUT HILL.

The National Rifle Ass'n of America held their Fall meeting at Concord, Long Island, October 13 to 17.

Following are members of the Mass. Rifle Ass'n who took prizes at the above meet: Tuesday C. W. Harnum and E. W. Cram took cash prizes in the Judd match.

Wednesday the team from Co. D, First Regiment, M. V. M. took third prize, \$15, in the military team match. Thursday, in the short-range match, F. J. Rabbeth won third prize, a life membership in the association; E. J. Cram, J. H. Brown and H. Nichols won \$10 each, and Bennett, Jewell and Richardson won their entrance fee.

Thursday, in the American championship short-range match, the Massachusetts first team won the trophy valued at \$255, the Massachusetts second team took \$50, and Massachusetts third team \$25.

Friday the Wimbledon Cup was won by F. J. Rabbeth by a score of 142. W. H. Farrow won it last year by a score of 145. The Wimbledon Cup was presented by the National Rifle Association of Great Britain to be competed for on conditions to be decided upon by the National Rifle Association of America, and to be held by the winner till the next fall meeting.

The same day W. H. Jackson won the third prize in the champion match, a bronze medal valued at \$15, his score being 134, the second man scoring 135, and the first man, 136.

Saturday the interstate long-range match, open to teams of four, at 800, 900 and 1000 yards, fifteen shots at each distance, was won by the Illinois Rifle Club, of Elion, N. Y., by a score of 855, the Mass. Ass'n was second by a score of 817.

Mr. F. J. Rabbeth of the M. R. A. was the winner of the aggregate prize in Nos. 3, 4 and 6, with a score of 304.

The Mass. Rifle Ass'n held their regular Glass Ball shoot Thursday, in which a large number participated.

On Saturday the largest number of the season was present.

The barge "Viola" which Mr. W. T. Kendall runs between Walnut Hill and the Centre on Saturday nights is very convenient.

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A Leading Professor Speaking of Sensible People.

Dr. S.—, the prominent Eastern medical lecturer, says: "Every day sensible people come to me to complain of their health being broken down. The answers to my inquiries always are—what I surmise—nature's laws have been totally disregarded; consequently the blood, the stream of life, becomes contaminated—and as a result of this blood poisoning, I find dyspepsia and disordered functions of the heart, lungs, liver and kidneys, accompanied by headache, nervous debility, and other impaired organic portions, often verging on paralysis. In order to keep the digestive organs in proper health and strength, I and my friends in the profession have recommended Brown's Iron Bitters—they act so mildly and soothingly, never leaving any unpleasant after-effects, strengthening the organs of digestion, removing every symptom of ill health, languor and debility." No remedy in the East gives such good satisfaction as Brown's Iron Bitters, and all druggists can procure it for you. Don't be persuaded to use a substitute. This remedy contains no alcohol and is the only preparation of Iron that does not blacken the teeth.

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In Woburn, Sept. 29, Peter J. Foster, 62 years.

In Woburn, Sept. 29, Catherine Foley, 42 years.

In Woburn, Sept. 27, Robert J. Wallace, 1 year, 3 days.

In Benicia, Cal., Sept. 17, Mrs. Seaver, wife of Geo. H. Seaver, formerly of this town.

In Winchester, Sept. 22, Martin Shepley, Jr., 1 year, 3 months, 11







